

The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, OCT. 4, 1901.

THE MUNICIPAL LEAGUE.

Last Saturday evening the Woburn Municipal League, organized a few years ago in the interests of good local government and to secure worthy candidates for office, held a meeting in the Lyceum Hall to elect officers for the current year and make plans for the approaching city election.

The League is strictly non-partisan, and is composed of the best men of all parties, men of influence and standing in business and social circles, the largest taxpayers, and above all, those who have the good of the city at heart, and are willing to contribute their time, money, and skill to promote it. About 40 of these prominent gentlemen were present at the meeting Saturday evening.

The following officers were chosen: Percy W. Linscott, President; Jonathan C. Elia, Vice-President; Edward Q. Brackett, Secretary; Edmund C. Cottle, Treasurer. The Executive Committee selected consisted of Charles G. Lund, Frank A. Winn, Frank E. Cotton. The Executive Committee for Wards was selected as follows: Ward 1, Frank E. Cotton, Benjamin H. Nichols; Ward 2, Charles G. Lund, Frank A. Winn; Ward 3, Frank E. Wetherell, Marcellus Littlefield; Ward 4, E. Gerry Barker, William E. Blodgett; Ward 5, James R. Wood, William H. Cadwell; Ward 6, Wm. W. Hill, Edward J. Marston; Ward 7, Fred C. Emery, Alvah B. Heald. It was decided to establish permanent Headquarters, and soon after the State election to take up Municipal matters in earnest.

It continued in the same spirit and with the same energy as heretofore the League is destined to work a radical reform in our municipal affairs and to make Woburn one of the cleanest cities politically in the State. Its members have no "axes to grind," no enemies to punish, or friends to reward, its only aim being the advancement of the best interests of the city.

It was the sentiment of the meeting that a red-hot campaign would be necessary in order to secure the reforms and measures which the situation demands, and that is the kind it proposes to carry on.

UNANIMOUS.

There was no opposition in the Reading Republican caucus last week to the nomination of Representative Arthur E. Roberts for a third term in the House, and every ballot cast was for him.

Reading Republicans are intelligent and appreciate merit when they see it. The renomination of Mr. Roberts proves this. He is worthy of their support for a third term, for during his service in the House he has guarded the interests of his constituents faithfully and wisely, and also won an honorable standing among the members. He was regarded as one of the most industrious and efficient workers in the Legislature, and no one enjoyed the confidence of the Speaker to a greater extent than he. He sports no frills while in the discharge of his official duties; he is not of those who are everlastingly "bobbing around" and doing nothing; but is a worker and makes points.

Representative Roberts has good reason to feel proud of his nomination and the unanimity with which it was made. Real merit always wins in the end, while demerit is sure to be snuffed out when the searchlight gets fairly focussed on it.

OUR NEW PRESIDENT.

President Roosevelt has made it as plain as words are capable of that he intends to carry out the public policy of his lamented predecessor in letter and spirit. Why should he not? He had a large hand in inaugurating it, especially as it relates to the questions arising out of our new possessions, and official intercourse with foreign nations, and furthermore, he understands as well as anyone possibly can that it is the policy of the people of the United States, and the one they want to see continued.

As evidence of his sincerity and good intentions the new President personally asked each member of President McKinley's Cabinet to remain in office which they all agreed to do, although it is known that a few of them wanted to retire at the beginning of the present year.

Nobody need fear that Roosevelt will not make an able and honest President, and one who the people of this Nation will have reason to feel proud of.

SENATORIAL CONVENTION.

At 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon Hon. Alva S. Wood of this city will be nominated by the Republicans of the Middlesex-Essex District for a second term in the State Senate by acclamation. The convention is to be held in Dow Block, and should favorable weather prevail there will doubtless be a full attendance.

Senator Wood is entitled to the honors that are to be bestowed on him tomorrow. He represents the District in a satisfactory manner, and during the session in the early part of the year he won the confidence and respect of the President and members of the upper branch of the Legislature.

STATE CONVENTION.

Massachusetts Republicans met noon today, Oct. 4, in Boston, to nominate candidates for State officers. Crane will be nominated for Governor, Bates for Lieutenant Governor, and there will be no contest over the selection of the rest of the ticket, except that for Attorney General. For this office a strong fight has been waged between Parker and Harris, and may be the best man win.

Every good merchant in this city, except one, favored the nomination of Mr. Riley for Representative.

COUNCILLOR CONVENTION.

The Republicans of the 5th Middlesex-Essex Councillor District held their convention at Peabody last Wednesday. Ex-Mayor Robinson of Gloucester was nominated on the third ballot. Mr. Pousland of Amesbury was a close second.

The vindictiveness of Wakefield politicians has been manifested in an attempt to defeat Senator Wood for the nomination because he did not follow their dictum on the Wakefield water question when it was carried to the Legislature. Mr. Wood's attitude at that time was a strong argument for his election rather than his rejection.

Senator Wood is one of the most conscientious men in this Senatorial District and a credit to it. He has a clear head and honest heart, and does what he believes to be right, just and proper every time. He will be renominated by acclamation at the convention to be held in this city tomorrow.

It is probable that the efforts now being made to induce Mr. Joseph Henry Parker to accept again this year's nomination for the Legislature will prove unavailing. Although he made a splendid run last fall and came very near snowing Wetherell under, beating him badly in this city, he is not disposed to try it this time, and has so informed the Democratic leaders. This leaves the Democracy in a dilemma. John W. Johnson, Esq., and Mr. Lawrence Reade are spoken of for candidates, but it is doubtful if either of those gentlemen can be induced to run.

How much, if anything, the meeting of the Municipal League Saturday evening had to do with it we are unable to say, but on Monday morning the air was filled with "Davis and No License," and a cheerful expression overspread the countenances of the anti-saloonists. "Davis and No License," it is quite manifest, is to be the watchword in the municipal campaign this fall, and to the advocates of temperance are bound to win.

There was no good reason for a recount of Republican ballots in Ward 2, for, with the exception of a single illegal one, cast for Wetherell, the caucuses were conducted as fairly as anything could be, and the original count was correct, as the recount demonstrated. Not only so, but these facts were perfectly well known to the contestant, and his attempt to cast suspicion on the proceedings was anything but creditable.

It looks now as though Representative Dean of Wakefield would be elected to stay at home next November. As a Democratic candidate, with the aid of a lot of Wakefield Mugwumps, he has been elected to the House of Representatives four or five years in succession, but has come to the end of his rope. The last broadside from Practical Politics settled his hash.

It has been suggested a good many times that some of our City Hall incumbents are more active in politics than is commendable. It is felt that too many questionable schemes "are hatched" at that building. It is barely possible that some of them will find themselves officially headless about Jan. 1, 1902.

Seven is the Banner Republican Ward in this city. At the caucus last week Riley received 14 votes while only 2 were cast for Wetherell. Ward 7 contains some of the hardest and most intelligent Republican workers in this city. They will be remembered when the Party makes up its jaws.

Mr. Riley secured a majority of the Woburn delegates honestly and honorably and any underhanded attempt by disappointed parties to thwart the will of the people as expressed at the caucuses will not be tolerated by them for a moment.

The Democratic Representative convention will be held at the Central House next Monday evening.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.
W. Hammond—To Let.
J. A. Remick—Order.
County Commissioners—Order.

Locke, tuner, telephone, this page.

C. M. Strout & Co sell the best furnaces in the market.

It seems good to see Dr. Irving Bancroft back in town.

Postmaster Wyer has returned from a visit in Vermont.

Judge Johnson got back from Nova Scotia last Saturday.

Supt. Emerson thinks the Evening School will open on Oct. 13.

The present address of Miss Eliza A. T. Kendall is Grafton, Mass.

The Kelley estate sale, 12, 13, 17, Broad st., has been withdrawn.

Mr. Winthrop Hammond has a notice in this paper of a lot. Please read it.

There will probably be several changes in the Aldermanic Board next January.

Relief Corp 161 will hold a rummage sale in the Alex Ellis store next Wednesday, Oct. 9.

Rents are scarce at No. Woburn. No empty houses can be obtained there by seekers.

Womans Relief Corps No. 84 will hold a social dance in G. A. R. hall Wednesday evening, Oct. 9.

From 9:30 p. m. Wednesday to 4 a. m. Thursday, Oct. 2, 3, quite a powerful rainstorm prevailed in these parts.

Please cast your eyes over an advertisement in this paper headed "Mystic Steam Dye House." It is all right.

The North Woburn Christian Endeavorers will hold a Rummage Sale Block at the Centre Friday and Saturday afternoons, Oct. 4, 5.

Members of the Choral Club connected with the Woburn Woman's Club are earnestly requested to meet at Mrs. Phinney's on Warren Avenue, Wednesday morning, October 10, at half past ten.

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—Rev. Frederick Woods of the M. E. Church returned from his vacation last week and preached in his home pulpit Sunday.

—Please bear in mind the rummage sale to be held in the former Alex Ellis store by the Ladies of Relief Corps, Post 161, on Oct. 9 and 10.

—Mrs. Kate Andrus and her sister, Miss Mary Agnew, are visiting their brother, Mr. Edward Agnew, and family in Boston this week.

—The Congregational National Council is to be held in the State street church, Portland, Maine, on Oct. 12, 16, inclusive. Mr. John R. Carter is a State delegate.

—Lovers of good tea, tea as it is, will do well to read the Boston Beach advertisement in this paper. That popular house is noted for the purity and excellence of its teas.

—Mr. Duncan McFarlane of 72 Washington street is seriously ill at his home. He is 84 years old and in his younger days was prominent in social and official circles here.

—The heavy rain of early Sunday morning was succeeded by a hot day, the thermometer showing 80 in the shade at midday. Large quantities of rain have fallen during the last week.

—The committees are making commendable progress in preparing for the great Fair of Post 33, G. A. R., which is likely to attract multitudes of people. It comes off on Oct. 23 to 26 inclusive.

—The Woburn Phalanx are to celebrate their 69th anniversary this month. They have laid out to make it a memorable event; rifle shooting, dancing, and banqueting to be the principal features.

—Mr. George S. Hudson is one of the Boston Herald's reporters of the great cup contest between the Columbia and Shamrock II. He is well qualified for such a duty being an experienced yachtsman and accurate story teller.

—After a pleasant visit with his parents, Lawyer and Mrs. John Jameson, Professor J. E. Jameson, LL.D., returned to Chicago last week where he occupies the position of head of the History Department of Chicago University.

—Rev. Dr. Calkins pastor of the Mountvale Congregational Church, wife and daughter, will sail for Italy next week for the benefit of Mrs. Calkins' health. It is expected that Rev. Dr. March will officiate as pastor while Dr. Calkins is away.

—If the Democracy did but know it, Mr. Jacob A. Ham would be as available a man as they could select for a Representative candidate. It isn't likely he would take it if presented to him on a silver platter, but he would swing a mighty good vote at the polls.

—Mr. Joseph Battles of Lawrence has sent us a pamphlet setting forth the superior points of the "Powers Regulator," the best contrivance for regulating automatically heat apparatus extant. The booklet says that Charles M. Strout & Co are the Woburn agents for the sale of it.

—It should have been stated by the Journal last week that the engagement of Miss Emma P. Bond, sister of Mrs. Alice Bond Winn, and Mr. Warren N. Blake of Abbot street, this city, had been announced. Friends of the couple are congratulating them on their approaching union.

—Captain L. E. Hanson has been visiting his old home at Sunnyside, N. H., lately. He is getting ready to depart for the Philippine Islands where, it is likely, he will be assigned to the 26th Regiment of U. S. Regulars for service as First Lieutenant, a position to which he has recently been commissioned.

—Five cent fares on the L. & B. road from Woburn to Arlington Heights began last Monday. This gives a 10 cent fare from here to Boston, making in all 4 different 10-cent lines from this city to the Hub: No. Woburn Div. via Medford; Arlington route; Melrose Highlands and Malden; and the Lexington road.

—The soloist at the Unitarian Church next Sunday morning is to be Mr. Philip Greeley, tenor, of Boston. A soloist is a regular thing at that church. Those for September were: Edith E. Torrey, soprano, Boston; Celestine Connelton, contralto, Boston; Robert C. Martin, tenor, Boston; Amy C. Balch, soprano, Lynn.

—C—s—y, one of the Democratic whippersnappers of Woburn, mourns over the fact that there is no show for the election of a Democratic candidate for Representative in this District this fall, and as for his part, he don't care a continental who of his party is nominated. Well, he isn't far "out of wind" in his ideas of the political situation.

—The ladies of Trinity Episcopal church are planning to give a Halloween Party in Odd Fellows Hall, Dow Block, on the evening of Oct. 31. It is to be a unique affair, including a "Mystery Room" and other attractive things associated with Halloween. The Trinity ladies are famous for furnishing good times for public enjoyment.

—Miss Maude H. Littlefield of 79 Prospect st., Woburn, is recognized by those qualified to form an expert opinion as a most proficient teacher of the violin. She is a pupil of Loeffler. Through a card elsewhere in this issue Miss Littlefield invites those in Reading wishing instruction to notify her and she will call upon them and arrange particulars.—Reading Chronicle.

—Golf seems to be suffering a decline in these parts, and tennis is on the rise. We have been informed that golf is only another name for shirking that the boys used to play, with the addition of some frills; that anyone who sticks of the games look just alike. Tennis, on the other hand, is an aristocratic game, blue blooded, and scientific, whilst it is in the ascendant just now.

—Mr. J. J. Grothe is building Street Railroad snowplows, an industry that he, and Pollard & Grothe, have carried on successfully for several years. A large number of Companies in this and other States have been supplied from the factory in this city, and the work has always given the best of satisfaction. Mr. Grothe, successor to Pollard & Grothe is a first-class mechanic. He is doing a good business.

—A typographical error occurred in the notice of Miss Danahat's millinery outfit last week which, although not serious, was regretted. The idea meant to be conveyed was that the best dressed ladies of this city and vicinity are patrons of Miss Danahat's establishment, and attention was called to her last announcement. Tomorrow is the last day of the opening, which will no doubt attract a large number of ladies.

—Miss Grace Hall of North Woburn, who is 96 years of age is quite ill.

—The Ladies' Charitable Society has its meeting in the Congregational vestry on Wednesday.

—Ald. Pierce will be a candidate for reelection in Ward 4 next December, so it is said. There will be others.

—The Legislature will convene in special session next month to act on the report of the Laws Revision Committee.

—No change of cars from Woburn to Lowell on the Lowell & Boston St. Railroad. Distance 15 miles; fare 15 cents.

—Masters Charlie Munroe, Tom Brown and Norman Francis took a trip to visit historic spots in Boston last Saturday.

—The ladies of Trinity Episcopal Parish will hold a "Rummage Sale" at 317 Main street on Thursday, Oct. 10, at 9 o'clock a. m.—T.

—Don't forget, please, the Relief Corps 161 rummage sale at Ellis's old store on Oct. 9 and 10. The cause deserves a handsome patronage.

—Walter Andrus is doing well at the Mass General Hospital, where he went a fortnight ago to have an operation performed on one of his legs.

—Mrs. Anna M. Kehew died very suddenly of apoplexy at the home of her sister, Mrs. Judge Converse yesterday forenoon. She was an estimable lady.

—Steamship tickets to or from Europe on all the lines; railroad tickets south or west; for sale by Charles R. Rosenquist, 36 Green st., Woburn—52 w.

—James H. Linnell, Manager of Lincolnton, Market, lost a valuable horse last Monday morning from sickness. It was his fine black carriage horse and a favorite.

—The careful reader will find food for reflection in the ad. of Copeland & Bowser this week. The Journal cheerfully vouches for the truth of their statements.

—Happy over the results of the Republican caucuses held last week, in the conduct of which he took an active and influential part, Mr. Griffin Place started last Monday for a week's visit to Pennsylvania. It had been contemplated by him but he would not leave his post of duty, the caucuses, where his good work always tells for something, until victory perched on his banner. Then he went away for a little rest and pleasure.

—The Rummage Sale of Relief Corps 161 is a worthy object, and everyone who has any cast-off clothing, shoes, stockings, either men's, women's, or children's, or anything in the way of furniture, carpets, stoves, etc., cannot contribute to it a better cause, the establishment of a fund for a new Soldiers Monument. Articles left at the old store of Alexander Ellis corner Main and High streets, Monday will be thankfully received.

—If you are thinking of buying a piano, new or second hand, for cash or easy payments, you would do well, and save a lot of money, by first having Frank A. Locke, the well known piano tuner, and special salesman, call on you and talk the matter over. Send your name and address and he will send you (free) a beautiful illustrated catalogue. Look at his new ad in paper. Free use of any telephone to telephone to him night or day.—T.

—Tomorrow, Oct. 5, the Boston & Maine Railroad will run its last excursion for this season to Lake Winnepesaukee and the beautiful regions thereabouts, and early October is the best time to go there. Round trip tickets to Alton Bay are only \$2 from Boston and can be procured at the Union Station this evening. The train leaves Boston at 8:20 a. m., and Alton Bay, to return, at the arrival of the steamer. This offers a delightful trip for a very little money.

—Nick McGilvrey of Bath, Maine, has been visiting his former home and old friends here this week. Several years ago he was one of the smartest members of the Woburn Polo Team and occupied a prominent place in polo circles. After leaving here he played in Maine with credit and success, and will probably go with the New England League organized this week. He told the Journal that Bath is a lively place, and shipbuilding was never better there than at the present time. He likes that fine New England city.

—At last accounts the exact date for opening the Evening School had not been fixed by the committee. We surmise however that it is not very far off and that, when opened, there will be a large attendance. That is to be hoped surely, for it is a useful school, none more so in this city.

—Many young men who are occupying lucrative and responsible positions in community owe them to the education obtained in the Woburn Evening School. Every person who can do so should attend this fall and winter.

—It is more than suspected that the friends and patrons of the saloon, realizing the futility of such a move, have concluded to make no serious attempt to change the present order of things respecting the sale of liquors in this city next December. They see that No License is popular, that a large majority of the people like it, and they know full well that anything they might be able to do to abolish it would surely come to grief. Therefore, it is reasonable to suppose that the saloonists will refrain from putting up a hard fight for license this fall.

—Last Wednesday evening, at the midweek meeting of the Congregational church, Rev. W. F. McMillan, D. D., of Chicago, delivered an interesting address in behalf of the Congregational School and Publishing Society, of which he is District Secretary. He said that in a large number of States more than 7000 Sunday Schools and 700 churches have been organized by this Society, which in the last 20 years has made a splendid record. His work is to secure money with which to establish such schools and churches, and he said that his appeals for aid were generally responded to with liberal hands and in a Christian spirit. From \$800 to \$1000 suffices to support a Missionary lecture year, and \$25 plants a school. The lecture was listened to with marked attention and evidently produced a deep impression on the audience.

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I send, if you wish, a pair of shoes. Please remember 425 Main is the price. Buy your shoes there and you'll never get beat.

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425 Main St., WOBURN

—All the political conventions will soon be over, then business. We hope every Republican candidate will be elected.

—Lawyer Parker, candidate for Attorney General, was a classmate of Judge Johnson of the District Court at Harvard.

—Mr. L. Valentine of Iowa is visiting his sisters, Mrs. Brigham and Miss Valentine, on Court street. He is a State delegate from Iowa to the Congregational National Council at Portland next week.

—Last Wednesday we received from Mr. J. J. Hern, proprietor of the Salem street marble and granite works, a photograph of the head and footstones recently erected at the grave of the late Westernman Brown in Woodbrook cemetery with funds generously raised among the engineers, conductors and others, on the Southern Division of the Boston & Maine Railroad. Mr. Hern had the stones and piece of rail prepared and set them in their places at the grave. The stone was one of the original sleepers of the Boston & Lowell Railroad, built in 1835, and the iron bar forming a cross of the headstone, was a short section of the old "shad-belly" rail first used by the B. & L. Company. They had been for some time in the possession of Mr. Brown, who had been in the employ of the B. & L. and B. & M. Companies, in various capacities, 65 years at the time of his death on Nov. 5, 1900, at the age of over 82 years, intended by him to be used to mark his grave. The picture, by Charles H. Taylor, is a fine one; J. T. Freeman & Co. gratuitously furnished some handsome brass clasps for the crosspiece; and Mr. Hern did nice work on the memorial stones and iron.

—The Lyceum Hall Association have purchased of Lena and Mary Hart about 6,000 square feet of land in the rear of their Hall and adjacent thereto, for which deeds passed last Saturday. The price is not made public. At noon on the day Mr. Winthrop Hammond sailed for England, Aug. 24, he, for the Association, succeeded in procuring a bond for a deed from the owners of the valuable piece of property and as soon after his return as possible the bargain was consummated. It had been a favored scheme of his, demanded for the improvement of Lyceum Hall, for some time, and he is gratified with its success. The land about 42 feet on Walnut street, and includes the Logue house and shop; 64 feet on the new 60-foot street that is to be built from Walnut street west; and 35 feet on the rear of the Lyceum Hall site. The purchase enables the Association to furnish much needed entrances and exits to their Hall, and to perfect such improvements of the same as they may have in mind. Mr. Hammond is reticent concerning the matter, but it is generally believed, and with confidence expected, that the Hall, a fine building, will in the near future be converted into a

modern first-class opera-house. The outlay for it would prove a profitable investment. Such a theatre, or opera-house, would command and really control nearly all of the patronage for such places and materially increase the Association's annual dividends.

The sale was negotiated for the grantors by Mr. Gilman F. Jones, Real Estate Agent of this city.

—The next meeting of the Sons of Veterans Whist Party will be on Oct. 9 instead of 23.

Boston & Maine.

The Boston and Maine Railroad issued its annual report for the year ended June 30.—Passenger earnings \$12,526,159; freight earnings \$17,880,746; miscellaneous receipts \$309,714; total \$31,375,620; operating expenses (70.7 p. c.) \$21,568,785; net \$9,856,835.

President Tuttle says: Considering the facts that the manufacturing industries of the section most directly served by this company have not found their greatest prosperity during the past year; that the cost of everything that goes into railroad operation has been materially increased; and that the benefits derivable from an amalgamation of the traffic of the two properties could not be realized until several months after their joint operation had been undertaken, the results are, upon the whole, quite satisfactory.

The export and import traffic of the system to and from European ports by way of Boston, particularly over the Fitchburg division, has shown a very satisfactory increase.

The Boston and Maine expended about \$1,000,000 for permanent improvements upon leased properties, but deferred until the expiration of the leases. These expenditures will be increased in the future. The Boston and Maine plans to provide for these expenditures by the issue of its bonds, to mature before the expiration of the leases on the account of which they are issued. The money received in settlement from the leased roads will be used to liquidate the bonds.

The number of passengers carried during the past year was 38,496,817; tons of merchandise carried 17,516,517. During the fiscal year, equipment costing (less old equipment sold) \$748,564.31 has been added as an operating expense. This consists of 33 locomotives, eight baggage cars, seven combination, three milk and 466 freight cars, and nine snow plows.

The Horse Race.

About 800 people assembled at the Lexington track last Saturday to witness a series of races by Woburn Driving Club and were well paid for their pains. The contests were made by some of the best horses in this city and were exciting from start to finish.

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FRIDAY, OCT. 11, 1901.

Republican Ticket.

STATE.
Governor, W. Murray Crane
Lieut. Governor, John B. Bates
Secretary of State, William M. Olin
Treasurer, Edward S. Bradford
Attorney General, Herbert Parker
Auditor, Henry C. Turner

COUNTY.
Clerk of Courts, Theodore C. Hard
County Commissioner, John R. Fairbank
Sheriff, George A. Sanderson
District Attorney, Edward E. Thompson
Special Commissioners, David J. Strang
Councillor, David I. Robinson
Senatorial, Alva S. Wood
Representative, Herbert S. Riley of Woburn

SENATORIAL CONVENTION.

The Middlesex-Exeter Republican Senatorial convention was held in this city on Saturday afternoon, Oct. 5.

After the organization Mr. John W. Cawley of Stoneham presented the name of Hon. Alva S. Wood of Woburn as a candidate and moved that he be nominated by acclamation. Mr. Cawley's speech was a handsome one, highly complimentary to Mr. Wood.

The motion prevailed and Hon. Alva S. Wood was nominated for a second term in the State Senate without a dissenting voice.

The election of Mr. Wood will come as a matter of course in November.

There was never any doubt of his nomination, although a parcel of Democrats and Mugwumps in Wakefield, led by Dean, a rank Democrat partisan, started an abortive move to defeat him.

Mr. Wood has made a good Senator, and is a credit to the District. There was no reason for defeating him this fall.

STATE CONVENTION.

The Republican State convention was held in Boston last Friday and everything went off per programme. It was a dull one.

The present incumbents of the State offices were renominated by acclamation, except that of Attorney General, over which a smart anti-convention contest was waged. The outcome of it was that Mr. Herbert Parker was nominated by a good majority. Mr. Harris, his competitor, is a prominent Cape lawyer and a fine man, but he failed to make the connections.

A brief but sound platform of principles was adopted, the best part of which was, it meant what it said.

The ticket will be elected by an old fashioned Republican majority.

CUP STAYS ON THIS SIDE.

The third and final race for the cup was sailed last Friday and won by the Columbia with only a little over 40 seconds to spare. The Englishmen go back home disappointed but not utterly cast down, for the owner of Shamrock II, it is said, has in mind another challenge for the prize.

Not a few Americans hoped the Shamrock would win just to take the starch out of proud and haughty New York Yacht Club.

THE NOMINEES.

The Republicans of the 28th Representative held their convention at Republican Headquarters in this city last evening and nominated Arthur E. Roberts of Reading, and Herbert S. Riley of Woburn.

At the highest pitch of his popularity Mayor William F. Davis has seen fit to proclaim to the citizens of Woburn his decision not to be a candidate for reelection this fall. The announcement is made out his signature in another column of this issue of the JOURNAL. Expressions of regret at his course are heard on every hand, and well may it be so, for he has made a model Mayor during his three terms of service. In an especial manner do the friends of temperance and good order regret his declaration to run again for the office. Mayor Davis has, by an honest, faithful and judicious course, made "No License" popular. Before the election last December the advocates of license said just as much liquor would be sold, and drunkenness would be as rife, under a prohibitory rule as under license. Some good men believed it, and others feared it. Mayor Davis has demonstrated, during the present year, that the preaching and prophesies of the saloonists are fallacious. By the application of a strong firm hand, by watchfulness and hard work, aided by honest officers, he has reduced rummeling in this city to the lowest low water mark; and the Court records show that arrests of intoxicated people have been wonderfully diminished during the year. By his determined course and his happy results the Mayor has increased his popularity and planted in the hearts of the people a strong and growing liking for "No License." He has stood right up in his boots on this question and won a victory over license of which he has the right to feel proud. This is why the true friends of temperance and the public will feel sorry that Mayor Davis should decline to stand for another term. With him for a candidate "No License" would surely win again this fall, because its success would not only mean another year without the saloon, but many years to come. "Davis and No License" once more, and "No License" would certainly become the fixed and permanent policy of our city. Not one man in a thousand could carry out that policy so thoroughly and satisfactorily as Mayor Davis. In other respects he has made a good Mayor. Nobody will deny but that he has been fearless and honest in the discharge of his official duties. Now he retires to private life with his own mission.

On due consideration, it is the candid opinion of the JOURNAL that Hon. George F. Bean would be abundantly able to defeat any candidate the Democrats might nominate for Mayor. He was tried in the office several years ago and not found wanting; indeed, the city has had no Mayor more capable or faithful than Mr. Bean since its incorporation. The public business was carefully looked after and carried on during the whole of his administration. Why not give a thought to the nomination of Ex-Mayor Bean?

Why was not a recount asked for in Ward 6?

At an adjourned session of the Democratic Representative convention the 28th District held at the Central House last Wednesday evening, Mr. Henry M. Aldrich was nominated as the Woburn candidate. Mr. Flanders of Reading had been nominated at a previous meeting. In Mr. Aldrich the Democrats made an excellent selection. He is a clean, high minded and intelligent gentleman, and commands the confidence and respect of everyone who knows him. A more judicious choice could not have been made by the Democracy.

Genealogist Loring is talked of by a good many Democrats when the Majority question is under discussion. It is said that "Barkis is willin'." He made a good run last fall and would have been elected if his party had thrown votes enough. However, there is a doubt about him, and there is hardly a doubt but that a man of a different stripe of politics will occupy the chair of Chief Executive of this city next year.

Edw. Edward E. Thompson was nominated at the Republican County convention last week for another term as Special County Commissioner. He has held the office several years in succession and his re-nomination indicates public confidence in his ability to do good service, and that it has been acceptable in the past. His experience in the office and sterling qualities eminently qualify him for the place.

We have received from Commissioner Robert T. Swen the Thirtieth Report of the Custody and Condition of the Public Records of Parishes, Towns, and Cities of this Commonwealth for the year 1900, and find it, on examination, a good document to have on hand.

Ex-Mayor of Boston, Josiah Quincy, has been chosen to lead the Unaffiliated Democracy of Massachusetts to defeat this fall. He is equal to the undertaking.

Perhaps Mr. Keene of Stoneham, by this time, wishes he hadn't. Between two stools he fell to the ground. Fair deal and open work are what win in the end.

Some people seem to think that Blodgett and Reade will be pitted against each other for the Mayoralty in the pending municipal campaign. If so, it will be a fight to the finish.

Several Democrats voted for Wetherell in Ward 1 caucus.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.
City-Evening School.
A. E. Spaulding-Mechanics.
E. H. Richards-Far Sale.
Lend-A-Hand Club-Opening.
A. F. Converse-Prob. Notice.
City-School of Weights and Measures.

"Herman, the Wizard."
Locke, tuner, telephone, this page.
Read Mr. E. H. Richards's notice "For Sale" in this paper.

There was a special meeting of the City Council last evening.

Henry Carr was seriously burned in his boiler room a few days ago.

Mr. Edward Caldwell is building a fine house on Eastern Avenue.

Mr. Nahum Mann made another flying trip to Woburn this week.

Miss Fannie Soles has returned from her all summer outing at Laconia.

Mrs. Jennie Greenleaf made a flying visit to this city last Wednesday.

Don't fail to read the ad. "Herman, the Wizard."

The winners of the 2-men Towanda tourney were Smith and Buckman.

S. A. M., Oct. 11, Wind S. W. Fair, warm.

Mr. W. F. Estabrook, the baker, lost a very valuable dog by poisoning a few days ago.

Prof. T. T. McHugh's dancing school opened with a large class last Friday evening.

The ball of the Grocer's Club Association last Wednesday night was a grand one.

The Woburn Golf Club Team were vanquished by the Melrose Club Team 18 to 2. Sho!

The breaking down of a load of calves on Pleasant st. made things lively Tuesday afternoon.

Ald. Golden of Ward 5 has got home from a fine trip in the British Provinces with improved health.

Mr. Francis W. Belew has recently received the appointment of boss in a large Boston leather factory.

Mr. John Connolly, City Hall Superintendent, has been under the weather this week but is now better.

Rev. Dr. Scudder and wife attend the annual meeting of the American Mission at Hartford, Conn., this week.

The soloist at the Unitarian church next Sunday, Oct. 13, will be Miss Grace B. Brown, soprano, of Boston.

William Fred Davis, Jr., and Bryan Mcweeney, Jr., returned to the Law School of Boston University last week.

Mr. George Durward presides over a fine market of meat, vegetables, canned goods, etc., as can be found anywhere.

The weather last Sunday was anything but favorable for church going; in fact, it was disagreeable and called for furnace fires.

Already several men are mentioned as Mayor Davis's successor in the Mayor's seat. They include the "good, bad and indifferent."

Steamship tickets to or from Europe on all the lines; railroad tickets south or west; for sale by Charles R. Rosenquist, 36 Green st., Woburn-52w.

Mrs. A. M. Clark of Sioux Falls, S. D., is to spend the coming winter with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. Dobbins, on Winn street, this city.

The Food Fair opened in Mechanics Building, Boston, last Monday, and will run a month. The managers say it is the best food exhibition ever seen in Boston.

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The annual State convention of the Christian Endeavorers is to be held at North Adams on Oct. 15. It is probable that Woburn will send a large delegation to it.

President William Littlefield of the Woburn Light, Heat & Power Co. attended the wedding of his nephew, Mr. Lester Moulton at Boulder, Colorado, last week.

Brother Jonathan C. Elia, Sealer of Weights and Measures, a staunch old Democrat but rational, has an official notice in this paper for which attention is asked.

St. Charles Football team will play their first match game with the Waltham Team for opponents on the Salem street grounds, this city, tomorrow, Oct. 12.

As will be seen by an official notice elsewhere in this paper the Evening School is to open next Monday, Oct. 14. It is hoped the classes will be full to overflowing.

Besides the Jonathan Thompson property, Mr. Gilman E. Jones has other desirable real estate for sale. He has been very successful in handling such property for people.

Harry V. Dimeck of the Ionian Canoe Club is after the paddling challenge cup won by French of the Dedham Club last May and has challenged that gentleman for a race.

On Wednesday and Thursday evening, Oct. 30, 31, the Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. Church are to hold a great Fair for the benefit of the church. Keep in mind the date.

Mrs. Charles H. Taylor and Mrs. Bessie Lesquerre left here yesterday for Pine Point, Maine, to sojourn awhile with Ruggles & Turnbull who keep the best hotel on the coast.

The St. Charles C. T. A. Society will give a great party in Concert Hall on Wednesday evening, Oct. 23. The name of it is hat trimming party, if anybody knows what that means.

Owing to a break in a water main at Montvale last Tuesday evening and railroad obstruction therefrom, several passenger trains were sent over the Woburn Loop to Wilmington.

We have a suspicion that the Halloween Party to be given by the ladies of Trinity church on the evening of Oct. 31, in Odd Fellow's Hall, is going to be something pretty nice.

Treasurer Charlie Jones of the Mechanics Association is having the best Mechanics building painted and otherwise improved. Mr. Benjamin Hinkley is President of the corporation.

Mrs. Bridgman, her sister, Miss Valentine, and their brother, Mr. Lovell Valentine of Iowa, left here last Saturday for their native town in Maine and to visit relatives and friends in other places.

The Trustees of the Barben Free Lecture Fund have in contemplation two courses of lectures this season in place of one. Just how the double course, or the two, are to be arranged is what we do not know.

The Congregational Church Committee held a meeting Wednesday evening to consider the resignation of Pastor Scudder. It was laid on the table until Oct. 16, and a committee chosen to wait on the Pastor and try to persuade him to withdraw it. The church are a unit in the wish to retain him. They are utterly opposed to letting him go.

Last Tuesday was a day to con-jure by—there it is again! No October within the memory of man has ever produced a lovelier day than last Tuesday. One feels like going into ecstasies over such weather. A description of the day is far beyond our powers, and we will not attempt it. The butterflies were in their glory.

The Rose Literary Circle are to give a Subscription Party in Music Hall on Friday, Oct. 18. Dancing begins at 8 and ends at 12. Persons invited are requested to send their acceptance with subscription (50 cents) to Miss A. S. Reade, 241 Main street, or Miss M. R. Carroll, 76 Main street, before Oct. 12. The best of music for dancing will be provided.

Mrs. Charlie Hayes of Dover, N. H., and her friend, Mrs. Abbott of Howard St., Reading, were guests of the JOURNAL and its spouse for a brief season last Monday evening. The call was particularly pleasing to the Editorial household. On Tuesday the ladies were over on the electric to post themselves on the Battle of Lexington and Concord Fight, and to store their minds with other historical lore.

Mr. John S. Jaquith and Miss Ethel Rogers Cummings, daughter of Mr. Eustace Cummings, were married last Wednesday evening. The large wedding reception which followed the ceremonies filled the splendidly decorated parlors of the residence, where music, a wedding supper, and congratulations were some of the features of the entertainment. It was a fine October matrimonial event, and the happy couple have our best wishes.

Some misunderstanding having arisen concerning the matter, we have been requested to state in the JOURNAL that the proceeds of the Fair to be held by Post 33, G. A. R. and Relief Corps 84, week after next, are to be appropriated for the benefit of the Relief and Burial Fund of Post 33, and to be used for no other purpose. The Fair has no connection with the movement to obtain a new Soldiers Monument.

The Woburn Flower Mission, which is engaged in a meritorious work, supplying flowers to hospitals and poor children in Boston, has had a successful season. Many persons are interested in it and liberal contributions have been received every Friday afternoon from all quarters of the city. The lady managers have been greatly endeared in their good work and will be able to make an excellent report at the close of the season.

If you are thinking of buying a piano, new or second hand, for cash or easy payments, you would do well, and save a lot of money, by first having Frank A. Locke, the well known piano tuner, and special salesman, call on you and talk the matter over. Send your name and address and he will send you (free) a beautiful illustrated catalogue. Look at his new ad. in paper. Free use of any telephone to telephone to him night or day.—if.

Mr. Charles E. Tripp returned last Sunday from conducting a Nason & Russell party excursion up the Hudson and other regions of interest, and expects to take another party to Buffalo next Monday. Mr. Tripp says the books show that Nason & Russell have conveyed a larger number of people to the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo from Boston than any other concern in the business. All who patronize this firm speak in the highest terms of the treatment they receive.

Last Tuesday evening Daniel Cronan of Cronan Heights, while walking along Main street near the Wyman schoolhouse, fell into a partly built catchbasin some 15 feet deep and was so severely injured that his life was despaired of. He struck on his head producing concussion of the brain and bad scalp wounds, from which he was unconscious several hours. Dr. Keller was summoned and attended to the injured man. At last accounts his recovery was in doubt. It is alleged that the accident came about through the negligence of the city authorities.

Mr. Joseph Linnell of Linnell's Market went to visit Allerton Hall, last Monday to join his fellow townsman, Mr. Joseph Henry Parker, in a fishing excursion on the briny deep, and have a good time generally. Both are famous fishermen and always have good luck, and are capable of telling wonderful fish stories with straight faces. The Democrats have been trying to capture Mr. Parker to make a candidate of him for the Legislature, and some suspect he went to sea, and took Mr. Linnell along, to escape from their clutches. As long as he can catch fish he doesn't want any Legislature in his.

Towards Club have issued their programme for October. Whist tournaments are held on every Saturday evening with part contests, and Team contests on alternate weeks. Play opens sharp at 8.30. Entrance fee 10 cents, and souvenirs to winners. On Oct. 14, the Club Whist Team plays for the Monroe Trophy of the N. E. W. A. At 8 p. m., Oct. 14, there is to be "An Evening with American Historians" by Mr. Augustus F. Howell. Dancing from 10 to 12. Each member may invite one lady guest. The tournament committee are G. W. Buchanan, I. W. Huntley, F. W. Crampton, J. M. Portant.

Lieutenant Linwood E. Hanson got back from York county, Maine, last Saturday night after a fine visit of a week among good friends there, and started last evening, or will start this morning, for New York, where he has been assigned to temporary duty. Several days ago he received his commission as First Lieutenant and assignment to the 26th Regiment, U. S. A., now in the Philippine Islands, to which service he is liable to be ordered at any time. He has many good friends in this city, Boston, and Down East, who will miss him and regret his departure to the Pacific Isles. May he live long and be happy.

On Oct. 3, 1901, Mr. Lester L. Moulton, formerly Superintendent of the Woburn Light, Heat & Power Co., and Miss Laura Louise, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Horace O. Dodge, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony at Boulder, Colorado, which is, and will be their future home. The bridegroom has many friends in this city, in Lynn, and in Old Wells, Maine, who with the JOURNAL, extend to him and his fair bride hearty congratulations.

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CITY COUNCIL.
At an adjourned session held at 7.30 p. m., Oct. 3, the President in the Chair, an attempt to pass the order respecting job wagon stands over the Mayor's veto, was defeated, and the veto stands.

A regular meeting was held at 8 o'clock, same evening. President Blodgett presided.

Voted to refund the \$5,000 forfeit deposit of the Lowell & Boston Street Railway Company. The Company were authorized to do business as common carriers.—The sum of \$150 was appropriated for a drain on Cambridge street.

The Board of Public Works was requested to furnish sketch and cost of fire escape at High Schoolhouse enclosed in a 6 or 8 ft. brick shaft.

Com. on Salaries reported salaries for election officers as last year—\$10 for Wardens and Clerks, \$7 for Inspectors, and \$2 for any Deputies reported for duty at opening of polls. Adopted.

The election officers as named by the Mayor at the previous meeting were confirmed by a unanimous vote of 13 yeas.

Voted that the Board of Public Works have supervision of the expenditures of \$1000 voted for a continuance of the block system.

Pres. Blodgett named as a Committee to consider the matter of location for the public job wagons: Alderman Wood, Carroll and DeDoria.

Voted, after two readings, that \$1000 be appropriated from the \$25,000 highway loan to extend in a southerly direction the 20 in. drain pipe which now runs from the town meadow through Ellis street towards Pleasant street.

The pool room license asked for by Richard Connolly of 48 Fowle street was granted.

The order calling for \$1,000 for a concrete walk on Main street from Mishawum Road to Eaton avenue, was, on motion of Ald. Greydon, passed.

At 425 Main street please send your way. Where Leach's store is open both night and day. He keeps his eyes open while setting the host. If there is aught in which he does excel, he is buying good shoes and having 'em fit well.

He keeps everything in style and plan. From a small child's shoe to a 12 brough. His three dollar shoes are a perfect fit. You can put 'em on tight and not hurt a bit.

Children's school shoes. Bless your soul I'd afraid He is selling them cheaper than they can be made. Another goods to follow in full size and half. Are the only sure thing to keep out the rain.

On repairing he can beat every cobbler in the place. He makes them all put on a dry feel. He will sew on a tap and nail on a heel. At prices so low you never will fail.

Lead, let them follow who can. Success, honest goods, and one price plan. Please remember 425 Main is the street. Buy your shoes there and you'll never get beat.

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425 Main St., WOBURN

and bespeak for them long lives and happy ones. Lester is a nephew of Mr. William Littlefield of Lynn, President of the L. H. & P. Co., and was most highly esteemed while a resident of this city.

The gravest and most important question now agitating official circles at City Hall is the location of a stand for job wagons. It has called forth the best administrative talent of several Departments and still remains unsettled. The Council have had several shys at it, the Mayor's veto powers have been exercised, and the last news heard was to the effect that a Board committee of practical men, with an eye single to the greatest good for the greatest number, were earnestly devising their time and talents to a right solution of the vexed question. In the mean time the owners of the wagons are suspended on tenterhooks, anxiously waiting for the verdict.

Mr. Charles Sweetser of Woburn, who will be remembered by the older residents of Winchester as the driver of a baker's wagon twenty years ago, was in town last week calling on old acquaintances. Mr. Sweetser drove for 49 years in and about Winchester and Woburn, and called at many private houses where he had regular patrons. His pies, especially the cream pies, and cakes were very nice and a near approach to home-made. He is looking well, and time deals kindly with him.—Winchester Star.

Everybody in Woburn is a friend of Mr. Sweetser. Why not? Besides being a good man, his nice pies and fine sweetcakes have given the people more pleasure than anything else under the sun.

Gentle breezes wait a faint rumor to our ears to the effect that the leading devotees of golf in this city are highly indignant that a certain local newspaper should presume to place golf in a position inferior to croquet in the list of field sports.

The services at the Y. M. C. A. rooms last Sunday was very interesting. The address was by Rev. E. J. Burlingham. A speaker from another city is expected to deliver the address next Sunday.

At the S. of V. Whist Party Wednesday evening, Mrs. E. K. Porter won first lady's prize, and Mrs. Harry Richardson the second. Mr. Newton won first gentlemen's prize, and Mr. E. K. Porter, second.

One of the interesting features of the Post 33, G. A. R. Fair, to be held on Oct. 23-26, will be the voting contest by the pupils of the public schools, assisted by their friends.

The First is truly a missionary church: Roberts in China; Scudder in the Sandwich Islands; and March at Montvale.

Judge and Mrs. Charles Day Adams will leave their Nahant home, with the brood, for their winter residence at No. Woburn on Oct. 14.

The audience in Clarigold Hall will be addressed by Rev. F. S. Hunsnewell of Reading on Sunday afternoon at 3.30. Woburn and Reading electric. No collection.

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Tuesday, October first.
Pupils will kindly arrange for hours from September 23d to October 1st.

Miss Bancroft teaches in Woburn Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays.

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Don't Forget.
The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal church will hold a Fair on the evenings of Oct. 30-31.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.
Mrs. James E. Fowler.
Mr. Hubbard Copeland.
Mr. and Mrs. W. F. True.
Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Page.
Mr. and Mrs. Fort Stables.
Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Holdridge.
Mrs. Walter Day.
Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Whitcher.
Mrs. Frederick Woods.
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Mr. Frank W. Lodge.

When you feel oppressed, do not resist your food and feel full after eating you may know that you need a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Price, 25 cents. Samples free at all drug stores.

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.
UNITARIAN.—At 10.30 A. M., preaching by the pastor, Subject: "Walking on the Water." Sunday School at 12 M.
TRINITY EPISCOPAL.—19th Sunday after Trinity. Morning Prayer at 10.30.
SUNDAY SCHOOL.—12 M.
Evening Prayer at 7.
Rev. E. J. Burlingham, Rector.

BARTER.—At 10.30 A. M., preaching by Rev. C. B. Craig, D. D., Subject: "The Trial of Faith." At 12 M., Sunday School. Christian Endeavor Meeting at 4.30 P. M. Service of Praise and Praying at 7 P. M. Second of a series on Successful Men: "The First Step." Travers Meeting Wednesday evening at 7.45.

The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, OCT. 18, 1901.

Republican Ticket.

STATE.
Governor, W. Murray Crane
Lieut. Governor, John L. Bates
Secretary of State, William M. Olin
Treasurer, Edward S. Bradford
Attorney General, Herbert Parker
Auditor, Henry C. Turner

COUNTY.
Clerk of Courts, Theodore C. Hard
County Commissioner, Henry C. Milligan
Sheriff, John R. Fairbank
District Attorney, George A. Sargent
Special Commissioners, Edward R. Thompson
David T. Sargent
Councillor, David I. Robinson
Senator, Alva S. Wood
Representative, Herbert S. Riley, Arthur E. Roberts

THE REPRESENTATIVE CONVENTION.

Right and justice prevailed, and Herbert S. Riley, Esq., won the nomination in a fair and honest manner.

As a last resort, after being defeated in their attempt to nullify the Ward 2 caucus by the State Board of Ballot Commissioners, by the Secretary of State, the recount, and several efforts to prejudice the minds of certain reading delegates against Mr. Riley, the supporters of Wetherell sprung the Ward 2 question on the convention, but it was no go; they were outgeneraled in every move they made, for the simple reason that their house was built on sand.

The convention was held in the Woburn Republican Headquarters on Thursday evening, Oct. 10, and the voting precinct was represented by full delegations—Woburn 21, Reading 14. The organization was: Chairman, John F. Turner of Reading; Secretary, Edward Q. Brackett of Woburn.

After the organization, and James W. Grimes, Esq., of Reading, E. F. Hayward, and Charles F. Harrington, had been appointed a Committee on Credentials, came the Wetherell question against the admission of the Ward 2 delegates. It was referred to the Committee on Credentials. The law of the case was lucidly explained by Mr. Grimes of Reading, one point of which should be made a particular note of, and that was, that checking names of voters at caucuses was not a legal requirement. Checking is merely for the convenience of the Clerk, and in no way has any bearing on the vote.

The Wetherell people had told this by the Ballot Commissioners and Secretary of State.

A majority of the Committee, Grimes and Hayward, made a report to reject the protest, and Harrington submitted a minority report. The former was accepted and adopted by the convention by a vote of 17 to 10, and Riley's nomination was assured.

After a recess Reading selected Arthur E. Roberts for their candidate, and Woburn selected Herbert S. Riley. Major Ambrose Bancroft presented the name of Mr. Riley in a neat and appropriate speech, and moved his nomination by acclamation. Four of the Wetherell delegates refused to make Woburn's choice of candidate unanimous, and that they had all hope for their man had vanished.

Both candidates accepted the nominations in brief speeches, which every one said were first-rate.

It was a good convention, and the very best of candidates for the House were chosen.

QUIET AND ORDERLY.

The Republican State Committee have wisely concluded to dispense with brass bands and torchlight processions in this campaign and rely on real bone labor for a bigger victory than ever at the polls on Nov. 5. They give several reasons for this course, one of which is, that the Party, so soon after the great National bereavement, are in no mood for political jubilation, and out of respect for the memory of our great martyr President will indulge in none. Another is, that time, talents and money can be more profitably employed in making converts by organization and canvassing than by shouting, drumbeatings, and hurrahs.

All of which is judicious and businesslike.

Then again, the Democracy of the State are in better fighting trim than they have been at any period since Billy Russell's day, and are ready to be quite a formidable enemy this fall.

They do not expect to win the election of course, but in the way of preparation for 1904 they hope to show a solid front and give the Republicans a battle not to be sneezed at.

This will call for a full vote on the part of the Republicans, to secure which is what the State Committee are planning and zealously working for these days. What they insist on is that every Republican voter shall go to the polls Nov. 5 and deposit his ballot for the Republican ticket from top to bottom, and he is a pretty poor Party man who needs a laboratory and a back to induce him to perform that duty.

HERBERT S. RILEY.

Fairly and squarely, without trickery or the least semblance of it, Mr. Riley has been made the Republican candidate for Representative to the Legislature, the colleague of Mr. Arthur E. Roberts, who has so ably and faithfully represented the Reading end of the 28th District during the last two years. That he will be elected admits of no reasonable doubt.

Mr. Riley is in every sense of the word worthy of the suffrages of the Republicans of the District. He will get their votes, and Reading will roll up a heavy majority for him. The Reading delegates at the convention were very favorably impressed by him, and especially by his excellent speech of acceptance. There was no taffy in it; it was plain, frank and good; the Reading brethren liked the tone and wording of it; and they will vote for him enthusiastically to a man.

A trial will show that the Republicans of Woburn made no mistake when they selected Herbert S. Riley for the House of Representatives from this District.

Roberts and Riley will make a Representative team at the State House next winter that the Republicans of this District will have no cause to be ashamed of. With them, and Wood in the Senate, this section of the State will be ably and honestly represented.

SENATOR WOOD.

On seconding the nomination of Senator Alva S. Wood at the convention held in this city Mr. William S. Greenough of Wakefield paid the Senator the following handsome compliment:

"I believe that I voice the sentiment of the true Republicans of Wakefield without exception when I say that by both his record and by precedent Mr. Wood is entitled to a re-election in the fall. The only criticism upon the way in which he discharged his duty during the last session of the Legislature is made by people who claim to be good Republicans, but who in reality are not. This criticism has been made on account of the Senator's course on a certain local matter—namely, the water question. I only speak of it to the honor and credit of the gentleman I shall nominate today. I hope, and I believe, that between now and election day the Republicans of Wakefield, on account of this matter and on account of other matters, will see that they owe it to themselves and to their Party to prove their loyalty to the nominee of the Party. I believe that by nominating Mr. Wood we shall do what will be to the credit of the Republican Party and that which will be for the interests of the Commonwealth."

ITS BIRTHDAY.

The WOBURN JOURNAL is 50 years old today, having been born on Oct. 18, 1851. The present proprietor has conducted it since August 1, 1880, and during the preceding 10 years it was owned and published by Mr. John L. Parker, now and for 21 years past, Editor of the Lynn Item. There were several proprietors previous to Mr. Parker, but none of them held it as long as the present one.

A large share of the original subscribers, a list of whom, mostly in their own handwriting, has hung in the Editor's room many years, are dead and gone, and most of those who remain are far advanced in life. It is interestingly examined with interest by people of this city.

Considering its half century of life, a long one for the average newspaper, the JOURNAL is quite a sprightly sheet, and at the present time is in the enjoyment of excellent health, thank you.

Editor Hobbs of the Woburn JOURNAL feels highly elated because of the successful nomination of Herbert S. Riley, Esq., as Representative. Editor Hobbs is certainly entitled to a large share of the credit for the success of Mr. Riley's campaign. Mr. Wetherell's defeat in the convention was due in great measure to his saying a few years ago that two years was the fixed period for which a man ought to be allowed to serve in the Legislature. As he has served two years in the House, the delegates evidently believed in taking him at his word.—Winchester Star.

Editor Hobbs didn't have half so much to do in securing the nomination of Mr. Riley as the scores of solid business men and sound Republicans of Woburn did. Wetherell was a great stickler for two terms when Wood was running for a third, and equally strenuous for three terms when Wetherell went in for a third. A person must be consistent and honest if he would win and hold the confidence of the people.

If Alderman James R. Wood of Ward 5 would consent to run for Mayor this fall he could be elected over all opposition. As ex-Alderman, a man who does his own thinking, said to the JOURNAL the other day that Ald. Wood for Mayor would be the right man for the right office. Many others have said the same thing. He understands the needs of the city as well as any man in it, and much better than most men. He is intelligent, incorruptible, and fearless. He has the respect of his convictions, and they are generally sound. In the discharge of his official duties he does not cut and sheer to win popularity or votes. To carry out the no license policy and make it still more popular there is not a better fitted man that can be mentioned or thought of. A good many are looking Woodward for a standardbearer in December. The trouble will be to get him to accept the office.

At 8 o'clock p. m., Oct. 6, the Methodist Episcopal church of Zurich, Switzerland, held services in memory of President William McKinley, who died on Sept. 14, 1901. The programme was in marked contrast with the singular one furnished for the Memorial exercises in this city, and more in harmony with the spirit of the solemn occasion. It opened with reading appropriate Scripture selections, followed by a hymn. Then the XC Psalm was read, and "Lead, kindly light," sung. Bishop J. H. Vincent made an address, and at its close there was a solo, "The Lord's Prayer," by Miss Annie Lieberknecht, daughter of Hon. Adolph Lieberknecht, U. S. Consul at Zurich. A prayer followed this, and after it the President's favorite hymn, "Nearer, my God, to Thee." There were more Bible selections, a fervent prayer, a hymn in German by the M. E. Choir, benediction, and Beethoven's Dead March.

At a meeting of the Democratic City Committee last Tuesday evening the acceptance by Mr. Henry S. Aldrich of his nomination for Representative to the Legislature was received. Little other business was done. The candidacy of Mr. Aldrich is gratifying to Democrats of character and standing who pretend to cherish a faint hope of his election. Of course it is a vain hope, but that isn't saying that Mr. Aldrich is not a good and worthy citizen, and respectable candidate, and, if elected, would not represent the District in a creditable manner.

At the Democratic Senatorial convention held last Saturday evening Captain John P. Crane of this city was unanimously nominated a candidate for the State Senate. He has served in the same capacity before, but has never been able to overcome the 2,000 Republican majority in the District. Captain Crane is the best man the Democrats could have taken for a Senatorial candidate and it seems a pity that he is doomed to defeat. He has always gone ahead of his ticket when running for office.

At a meeting held on the evening of Oct. 10, the following gentlemen were elected Deacons of St. John's Baptist church in this city: Alexander Esley, Joseph H. Robinson, William H. Smith, Charles E. Crutcher, Lewis C. Starkey, Thomas Green. The installation ceremonies were impressive and interesting.

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The men who attended the Republican Representative convention here last week somehow got it into their heads that James W. Grimes, Esq., of Reading, knows a few things about politics and conventions.

It is generally thought that Mr. Lawrence Reade will capture the Democratic nomination for Mayor with neatness and dispatch. The Democratic might go farther and fare worse.

The State election occurs on Nov. 5, two weeks from next Tuesday.

LOCAL NEWS.

City Election.
Journal—Piano.
E. Prior—Auction.
Dr. Callahan—Cat.
M. E. Society—Fair.
Mr. Phillips—Cat.
R. H. Richards—To Let.
R. E. Howe—Chimpanzee.
W. De M. A.—Dr. Pierce.
J. W. Johnson—Mort. Sale.
S. T. Gifford—Prob. Notice.
V. S. Patrick—Help Wanted.
L. F. Johnson—Prob. Notice.

Locke, tuner, telephone, this page.

What a beautiful and delightful lot we have had!

Mr. A. O. Mathes's favor will be printed next week.

Mr. E. H. Richards has two good rooms to let. See ad.

There was no school on Monday afternoon on account of a rainstorm.

Remember that the grand Fair of Post 33, G. A. R., opens Oct. 23.

Mr. F. W. Legg has sold out his photograph business to a Boston man.

Relief Corps 161 made close on \$200 at their rummage sale last week.

The Congregational church contributed \$67 to the Miss Stone Rescue Fund.

The telephone number of Dr. Lewis, dentist, has been changed to 71-3.

Please, don't fail to read and give heed to the notice of the M. E. church ladies.

By calling at the JOURNAL office something may be learned about a good piano for sale.

The two Rs (Roberts and Riley) will be the winning letters of the alphabet on Nov. 5.

"Woburn and Lowell" is the sign of the No. Woburn electric cars these days. It is all right.

Mr. Morse, former American Express agent here, has gone to house-keeping at Lawrence.

The Social Benevolent Society of the Congregational church will hold an apron and candy sale on Dec. 12.

The teachers of our public schools attended the Teachers' Institute at Stoneham last Friday and were greatly edified.

In the course of a short time 15 minute electric car trips between Woburn and Medford may confidently be expected.

The ladies of Trinity church will give a Halloween party in Odd Fellows Hall on the evening of Oct. 31. Don't forget it.

Sunday afternoon services of familiar hymns and helpful thoughts are held regularly in Clarigold Hall, corner of Washington and South Streets, on the line of Woburn and Reading electric at 3. 30.

— Mrs. John Atkinson of Stoneham visited her sister, Mrs. Charles Munroe, Tuesday.

— At the close of registration on Wednesday evening there were 2979 names of voters on the lists.

— Mr. Arthur A. Fowle, Managing Editor of the Boston Globe, and family returned to their home in this city a few days ago after a protracted and pleasant sojourn among the White Mountains.

— Supt. Emerson has succeeded in getting the surplus scholars into tolerably comfortable quarters. He hopes permanent provision will be made for taking care of the overflow before a great while.

— Woburn Relief Corps 161 will give a Harvest Supper and dance next Tuesday Oct. 22. Supper from 6 to 8 Dancing afterwards. Admission to supper and dance 25 cts. Admission to dance 10 cts.

— On quality and prices of boots and shoes and rubber goods Mr. Josiah Leathe takes no back seat for anybody. He has a stock that will bear the closest inspection, and everybody says his prices are away down to hardpan.

— It will be seen by her advertisement that Mrs. S. E. Howe, the well known chiropractor, will be at her rooms, 414 Main street, on Tuesday, Oct. 29, when and where she will be glad to welcome her old and new customers.

— An advertisement appears in another column of "this paper" which ought to interest some people in this community. It comes from Pinebluff, N. C., and we think the parties are reliable.

— Mr. Harry F. Parker of Church Avenue left last Tuesday on his annual vacation. He went to Baltimore and Philadelphia by steamer and his intention was to spend a couple of weeks there and at other cities and places thereabouts.

— The 30 days of public mourning for the death of President McKinley will expire tomorrow. President Roosevelt decided that the period began on Sept. 19, the day of the funeral, and tomorrow the draperies on the public buildings will be removed.

— A hat trimming party is to be given by the St. Charles C. T. A. Society on Wednesday evening, Oct. 23, which, no doubt, will be a gay affair. Dancing is to be a prominent feature, for which the best of music has been besoken.

— Mr. Alva A. Persons celebrated his 75th birthday anniversary last Wednesday by gathering pears from trees on the place on Bow street where he has lived 63 years, except 5 during his early married life. There are no smarter men in town of any age than Mr. Persons.

— The conclusion reached by us from a careful perusal of the Annual Report of the Register of the U. S. Treasury, kindly forwarded to the JOURNAL by an esteemed friend, Mr. A. C. Floyd of that Department, is that Uncle Sam is still in comfortable circumstances and not likely to petition himself into bankruptcy this fall.

Miss Anna Cummings, bookkeeper for Cummings, Chase & Co., her sister Miss Abby, stenographer in a Boston office, and Mr. B. A. Chute of Somerville, left Boston for the Pan-American Exposition last Sunday. They will visit Rochester, N. Y., Niagara Falls, and other points of interest, and reach home tomorrow or next day.

— The grand Post 33, G. A. R., Fair opens on Wednesday, Oct. 23, and closes on Saturday, Oct. 26. It is probably the last one that Post 33 will hold, for which reason and others it should be patronized by everybody in the city. Many attractions are advertised which will be well worth the small sum of money it will cost to enjoy them.

— In offering a two hundred dollar (200) household, in prime order, for \$35, it seems just as though Capt. Edward E. Parker means business. It looks for a while as though he was running a bargain counter of steam, water and hot air heating apparatus. The boiler he advertised two weeks ago went like hot cakes. So will the one he offers for sale in today's JOURNAL.

— Lorenzo Snow, late President of the Mormon Church, who died at Salt Lake City, Utah, on Oct. 10, 1901, was a descendant of Richard Snow, an early settler of Woburn. The Snow family resided in the north part of Woburn on present Pearl Street and also in the district about Wood Hill. This family were once quite numerous in Woburn.

— Head men of the Congregational denomination have recommended that hymns written by Philip Doddridge be sung on Sunday, Oct. 27, and the previous mid-week meeting, in honor of the 150th anniversary of the death of that great hymn writer, very many of his 400 religious productions being still included in Congregational hymnals. Good idea. Doddridge was a great poet.

— The new officers of the Bardeen Free Lecture fund are: Pres. John W. Johnson; Vice-Pres., Miss Maria E. Carter; Director for three years, John G. Maguire; Trustees for three years, Edmund C. Cottle. Other members of the Board are: Mrs. Jennie K. Adams, Mrs. K. Maria Bean, S. Frankfort Trull, and L. Waldo Thompson.

— Dr. Joseph T. Callahan has a professional card in this paper. Please read it. The Doctor graduated from Harvard Medical College in 1899, and spent the following year in a large hospital at Norfolk, Va. Returning he acquired additional hospital knowledge in Boston, and has come here to practice. He is a bright, finely educated young man, and thoroughly equipped for professional work.

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City Council.

A special meeting of the Board was held on Thursday evening, Oct. 10.

The following business was transacted:

The Mayor vetoed the petition for a pool license to Richard Connolly of 48 Fowle street. The matter was laid over.

An order for a loan of \$7500 to repair streets was also vetoed, and passed over the veto, all present voting in favor.

Post 33, G. A. R. was granted a license to conduct a bazaar.

The following election officers were appointed to fill vacancies: Ward 4, Deputy Warden, James H. Corth; ward 5, Deputy Inspector, John W. Haley;

ward 6, Deputy Inspector, Thomas M. Collins; ward 7, Deputy Inspector, Myron B. Lovering.

The Board of Public Works asked for an appropriation of \$800 to pay for heating apparatus installed in the Highland School building. The sum of \$1,000 was appropriated to lay drain through Emma avenue, Lowell street to Middlesex Canal; \$150 to pay expense of a drain pipe at the State road, Cambridge street, through land of William Wallace, \$500 for resurfacing concrete sidewalks; \$475 for concrete sidewalk and edgework on Church street abutting the Kelley estate. Polling places were designed for the State and City election the same as last year.

The committee on railroads was requested to confer with the management of the Boston & Northern Street Railway relative to the rate of fare between Cross street and Wilmington Centre.

The fare is now fixed at 10 cents, and it is said that by the terms of the franchise the fare should be 5 cents.

The Lowell & Boston Street Railroad Company asked permission to attack wires to existing poles on Winn street, and the matter was favorably reported on.

A typical South African story.

O. R. Larson, of Bay Villa, Sundevy River, Cape Colony, conducts a store typical of South Africa, at which can be purchased anything from the "proverbial 'needle to an anchor'." This store is situated in a valley nine miles from the nearest railway station and about twenty-five miles from the nearest town. Mr. Larson says: "I am favored with the custom of farmers within a radius of thirty miles, to many of whom I have supplied Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. This must surely be a record. For sale by all druggists."

Post 33, G. A. R., Fair.

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It is proposed by the committee having the contest in charge to present to the school having the largest number of votes per scholar a bunting flag of the best quality that can be obtained and as large as the staff on the school building will allow.

The proceeds of this contest will be devoted to a most worthy cause, and the scholars thus have an opportunity to assist in a substantial manner the Veterans, who by their patriotism and courage made it possible for them to attend free schools and live under our flag, the grand old Stars and Stripes.

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Stepped Into Live Coals.

"When a child I burned my foot frightfully," writes W. H. Zada, of Jonestown, Va., "which caused horrible leg sores for 20 years, but Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured me after everything else failed." Infallible for Burns, Scalds, Cuts, Bites, Bruises and Piles. Sold by Huntley & Co., druggists, 25c.

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It's a town for the skin and complexion. Softens the former and beautifies the latter. Try it once and you'll try it another time. It soothes the skin without causing that "Sticky Feeling."

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F. P. BROOKS, Ph. G.,

DRUGGIST,

301 Main St.

The Phalanx Anniversary.

Last Wednesday afternoon and evening the Woburn Phalanx (Company 5, 5th M. V. M.) celebrated the 60th anniversary of their organization as a military company in good style.

The weather was perfect. From every point of view, a vacation fully appreciated by the boys as favorable to Woodbrook Range.

At 1 o'clock in the afternoon, led by the Woburn Brass Band, members of the Phalanx left their Armory on Montvale avenue and proceeded to the Range on the "Pat Fowle" place off Lexington street, where the Hammond, Symonds, and other prizes were shot for and won. Returning from the Range the Company were met at the corner of Pleasant street and Arlington Road by Captain William Woodberry and a carriage, and by his request the Band played "Auld Lang Syne." He was the third Captain of the Company, 63 years ago, and is now considerably over 90 years young.

He is given the shooting at the butts:

First Prize, Simonds Medal, George Durward, 24.

Second Prize, Hammond Medal, W. A. Durward, 24.

Companions Prizes, Merchandise, George Durward, 24.

W. A. Durward, 24.

Corp. Keen, 24.

Bureau, 24.

Corp. Anderson, 24.

Walker, 24.

Lieut. Cutler, 24.

E. J. Stevens, 24.

Corp. McCarthy, 24.

Lieut. Martin, 24.

E. L. Lovering, 24.

FINES MEMBERS:

H. N. Cook, 24.

S. D. Smith, 24.

James Graham, 24.

J. M. Fernald, 24.

Dr. R. Chalmers, 24.

W. W. Wade, 24.

C. E. Tripp, 24.

W. F. C. Wade, 24.

At the appointed hour about 175 Members and invited guests gathered around the dinner table where a pleasant evening was spent. Capt. McCarthy presided at the banquet and was Master of Ceremonies. Hardy of Arlington was the Caterer, and a fine repast be furnished.

Harrington's Orchestra furnished excellent music which was a prominent and pleasing feature of the celebration.

The postprandial speaking was first-rate.

Lieut. Col. Gilson spoke for the State; he was followed by Major Ballard of the Brigade; Col. Oakes, H. M. Aldrich for his father-in-law, Captain William Woodberry, Lieut. Captain of the Company; Major Morrison, Colonel W. T. Grammer, Captain E. J. Wyer, Rev. Dr. Chalmers, Lieut. W. C. Church, Winthrop Hammond, Captain Sweetser, Major Gallop, Major J. M. E. Church, Lieut. H. H. Grant, U. S. A.; Mayor W. A. Durward.

On their march to and return from Hammond Square prior to the festivities, the members of the Phalanx made a gallant appearance.

Stricken With Paralysis.

Henderson Grinnett, of this place, was stricken with partial paralysis and confined to his bed for some time.

After being treated by an eminent physician for quite a while without relief, my wife recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm.

After using it a few times, she is almost entirely cured—Geo. R. McDonald, Main, Logan County, Va. Several other very remarkable cures of partial paralysis have been effected by the use of this liniment.

It is most widely known, however, as a cure for rheumatism, sprains and bruises. Sold by all druggists.

Ladies' Aid Society Fair, M. E. Church, October 30-31.

Executive Committee.

Mr. James E. Fowle, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. True, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Logg, Miss Maud West, Miss Grace Stowers, Miss Cora Daw.

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Housekeeper's Table.

Mr. and Mrs. Fort Staples, Mrs. S. E. Kendrick, Mrs. E. G. Clough, Miss Mattie McFarland.

Apron Table.

Mr. Walter Daw, Mrs. F. W. Logg, Miss Maud West, Miss Grace Stowers, Miss Cora Daw.

Candy Table.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hollister, Miss Grace Smith, Miss Grace Allen, Miss Edith Eastwood, Miss Ruby Waugh.

China Table.

Mrs. Charles F. French, Mrs. Thomas Wilson, Miss Alice Woods, Miss Daisy Hollister, Mrs. Charles W. French, Miss Marie Woods, Miss Lottie Hollister, Mrs. Wilbur T. Wilson.

Flower Booth.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Whittier, Miss Bertha East, Miss Eva Langill, Miss Jessie Rollins, Mrs. Herbert Sellers, Mrs. Edith Eastwood, Miss Lottie Carle.

Ice Cream Committee.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Frye, Jr., Miss Flossie Page, Miss Mabel West, Miss Sara Bennett, Miss Jennie French, Miss Maud West, Miss Cora Daw, Miss Stella Daw, Miss Florence Delano, Miss Estelle Adams, Mrs. John Fraser, Mrs. Warren Adams, Mrs. Fred Givens, Mrs. Charles Thompson, Mrs. Edward Brown, Mrs. Louis Barker.

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Tot Causes Night Alarm.

"One night my brother's baby was taken with Croup," writes Mrs. J. C. Snider, of Chittenden, Ky., "it seemed it would strangle before we could get a doctor, so we gave it Dr. King's New Discovery, which gave quick relief and permanently cured it. We always keep it in the house to protect our children from Croup and Whooping Cough. It cured me of a chronic bronchial trouble that no other remedy would relieve. It is infallible for Coughs, Colds, Throat and Lung troubles. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Huntley & Co.'s drug store."

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Boston Theatres.

THE COLUMBIA.

One of the most important engagements of the present theatrical season in Boston will be that of "The King's Carnival," which begins at the Columbia Theatre, Boston, Monday night. For over eight months that superb spectacular extravaganza (or review) has crowded the mammoth New York Theatre, New York, to the doors, and it comes to Boston direct from that city with the entire cast, and with all the scenery, ballets and choruses witnessed there. "The King's Carnival" is the creation of Sydney Rosenfeld, of "Passing Show" fame, with music by A. Baldwin Sloane. It is pronounced one of the most superb burlesque reviews of modern times—full of mirth, meriment, striking situations, excellent music, and gorgeous electrical effects, with songs which are whistled on the streets after a first hearing.

THE PARK.

Another play from the prolific pen of Clyde Fitch whose last production here "The Climbers" scored such an emphatic success, opened at the Park Theatre, Boston, on Monday, and made a tremendous hit. It is called "The Marriage Game" and it is one of the most brilliant productions for which all of William A. Brady's offerings are notable. This play is in Clyde Fitch's most brilliant and the most daring of any of the Clyde Fitch plays, which was first produced in New York. It is a comedy of the most intense dramatic mixture of thrilling episodes and sparkling epigram which Mr. Clyde Fitch has yet conceived. On Oct. 25, "Lovers' Lane," after a five months' run of remarkable success in New York, with a summer run of three months in Chicago, comes to the Park Theatre, Boston, with the importance of cast and beautiful scenic production for which all of William A. Brady's offerings are notable. 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Lieut. Governor, John L. Bates.
Secretary of State, William M. Olin.
Treasurer, Edward S. Bradford.
Attorney General, Herbert Parker.
Auditor, Henry C. Turner.

COUNTY.
Clerk of Courts, Theodore C. Hard.
County Commissioner, Henry C. Turner.
Sheriff, John L. Bates.
District Attorney, Edward S. Bradford.
Special Commissioners, David T. Strange.
Simsbury, David L. Robinson.
Comptroller, Alva S. Wood.
Sunderland, Herbert S. Riley.
Representatives, Arthur E. Roberts.

THE WOBURN JOURNAL.

For the information and good wishes contained in the following letter, Captain John L. Parker, Editor of the *Woburn Journal*, and former proprietor of the *Woburn Journal*. His kind words are appreciated by the *Woburn Journal*'s present Editor.

We have often wondered why the date of the birth of this paper and its volume and number failed to agree, and now we have to thank Capt. Parker for giving the reason of it.

A good many years have elapsed, since the days when you used to climb Summer street and carry *JOURNAL* proof to the "Old Man," and as you look back over them what do you think of it all? But the letter.

LYNN, Mass., October 18, 1901.

DEAR BROTHER HORRIS:

Fifty years ago to-day, Oct. 18, 1851, the first *WOBURN JOURNAL* saw the light. It was published by Fowler Brothers, John A. and George W., both of whom are living. The printer is also alive and well, Horace N. Hastings, senior proprietor of the *Woburn Journal*. He was for many years the printing office, which was located in the second story of the Fowle Building on Main street, and most of the time while the first number was in preparation, he was "boss and all hands." If you take a peep at that old first number you will agree with me that it is a fine specimen of "the art preservative."

The Fowles were not printers. George W. was a bookbinder, and before erecting his building had a book store and bindery across the street in the Wade Block. John A. was a merchant in Boston. He was the Editor, and lived in the house on the corner of Summer and Warren streets. After I became the "devil" for the *JOURNAL*, Dec. 1, 1851, it was my duty every Thursday night to carry the proofs to the home of the Editor and return with the corrections.

You have the original subscription list of the *JOURNAL*, and what a history one can read from those names, of the changes half a century has brought! I hope every one now living who signed that original roll is still a reader of the *JOURNAL*.

One may ask how is it if the *JOURNAL* is only 50 years old to-day that the present copy is Vol. LI, No. 457. There are two explanations of it: The *JOURNAL* makes 52 numbers in a volume, and it is well known that during half a century there are quite a number of years that have 53 Saturdays. A former proprietor changed the numbering with the idea of conforming it to the calendar year and the *JOURNAL* appears to be older than it really is.

I congratulate you on this anniversary of what was an event of great importance to Woburn, and hope that 1951 will find the *JOURNAL* alive and flourishing, with its "circulation rapidly increasing."

Yours truly,
JOHN L. PARKER.

THE STATE CAMPAIGN.

Under the leadership of their candidate for Governor, Josiah Quincy, the Democrats are hustling for all they are worth. Just what the nature of the spirit is that animates them is hard to tell. It does not seem possible that they hope to elect their ticket next month and it is not likely that they do; it would be more reasonable to conclude that their aim is to reduce the Republican majority to the lowest possible notch for future use.

We read of Democratic rallies all over the State, at which the enthusiasm has no limits, and the speeches are of the highest grade of eloquence. They are not greatly crowded, however.

In the mean time the Republican managers, while not noisy, are busy. They are working to get out a full Republican vote on Nov. 5, and mean to have it. Not without help, though; there must be hearty cooperation all along the line if the hope of the Democracy to cut down the Republican majority is to be brought to naught. The rank and file must shake their hands and feet, and list shoulder to shoulder with the managers, each to organize himself into a committee of one to get himself to the polls and see that he casts his Republican ballot.

Individual interest and personal effort are what tell the story and insure a full vote.

READING IS ALL RIGHT.

The Republicans of Reading, Woburn's yokefellow in this Representative District, are at work quietly but earnestly for the success of the ticket on Nov. 5. They are built that way. Roberts and Riley, candidates for the Legislature, will get the full Republican vote, which insures their election by a handsome majority. Efforts have been made by some Woburn Democrats and Republicans soreheads to get a split among the Reading Republicans on the Representative question, but without success; the Reading brethren know their duty and will do it on election day. They can be depended on every time.

Roberts and Riley are strong with the Party not only in Reading but in Woburn. They are good men to send to the Legislature. They are upright and capable, and can't be bought by rich corporations.

Reading will be all right for Roberts and Riley and the whole Republican ticket on Nov. 5. Stick a pin there!

Alderman James R. Wood champions Ex-Ald. B. H. Nichols for the Board of Public Works. Com. George E. Fowle's term expires this year, and Ald. Wood wants Mr. Nichols elected to fill his place.

The first number of the *Woburn Daily Times* was issued on Monday evening, October 21, by Mr. J. D. Haggerty, Editor and Proprietor, and met with a brisk circulation. It is neatly printed, 20 columns in size, well laden with local news, and ought to meet with public favor. Editor Haggerty assures the public that the *Daily Times* is to be published as strictly a local paper, with no politics and but little religion in it. That is the right course if the proprietor would win patronage. Mr. Haggerty is Woburn born and raised. He graduated from Mark Allen's *Advocate* years ago, is a capital printer, a young man of the best of habits, enterprising, and in every way deserving. He pays the *JOURNAL* a compliment in the first issue, for which, of course, he has our thanks. The *JOURNAL*'s business motto is "Live and Let Live" therefore it wishes the *Daily Times* abundant success.

There is a lull in the discussion of the Mayoralty question. The politicians have their ears to the ground expecting every day to hear something drop at the Municipal League headquarters, and not a word is in the air. It is about as good as settled that Mr. Lawrence Reads is to be the Democratic candidate for Mayor, and there is no Republican in the city who would not find in him a foe worthy of his steel. Who the Republican candidate will be remains to be seen. He may come from the M. L. to be endorsed by the Republican Party, and may have come from there and fail of such endorsement. But time will tell.

The political skies hereabouts are very bright indeed. Not the least anxiety is felt by Senator Wood concerning his reelection, and Roberts and Riley are as good as already elected. There is no opposition to Wood and Roberts, and the little to Riley here will all vanish before the polls are opened on Nov. 5. The men whose tempers were ruffled by Wetherell's defeat, some of whom have said they would bolt Riley, will in due season fall into line, forget their disappointment, and cheerfully cast their ballots for the two R's—Roberts and Riley. They can't afford to do anything else.

Later advices from Democratic Headquarters indicate that the *JOURNAL*'s intimation respecting the nomination of Mr. Lawrence Reads for Mayor was a little off color, for it is now stated authoritatively that Lawyer and ex-Mayor John P. Feeney has at last yielded to the earnest solicitations of his friends and concluded to be a candidate for the office. This gives the matter a different complexion entirely and may disarrange the plans of the Municipal League. Feeney is a great vote getter.

Elwyn G. Preston, Esq., Secretary of the Boston Chamber of Commerce, was delegated by the Board to go to New York early this week to escort the visiting Porto Rico Commercial Delegates to Boston and introduce them, about 15 in number, to the business men of the Hub. A grand banquet was given the Delegates at the Algonquin Club on Wednesday evening, and Mr. Preston's picture appeared among the portraits of the Porto Ricans in the *Herald* yesterday morning.

Among the early reports from the Yale College Bicentennial celebration, dated Oct. 18, appears the following: "One of the first of the Alumni to sign the Bicentennial Registry Roll in the Chittenden Library was Daniel March, D. D., of Woburn, Mass., Class of '40. He was poet of his Class."

Our old and esteemed friend, Hon. Carroll D. Wright, has renewed our obligations to him by sending us a copy of "Abstract of the Eleventh Census: 1880," issued from the Interior Department, of which he is the able Commissioner of Labor.

It is generally understood that the Municipal League will refrain from aggressive action on the Mayoralty question until after the State election. To keep the people in a state of suspense and anxiety so long comes precious near being a case of cruelty to animals.

A special session of the Legislature will convene on Nov. 13, to act on the report of the Committee appointed to revise the laws of the State. The Committee finished their work, except the Index, last week.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.
F. A. Locke—Pianos.
J. W. Johnson—Clothing.
King's Daughters—Party.
J. W. Johnson—Meat Sale.
Congregational Church—Concert.

Episcopal Halloween Party Odd Fellows' Hall Oct. 31.

Chrysanthemums are the fashionable blossoms this fall.

C. M. Strout & Co. sell and install the best furnaces made.

Petitioners for pool licenses find it uphill work in this city to get them.

Hats up for Roberts and Riley for Representatives to the Legislature!

The shade trees in this city are nearly bare of leaves. Winter is close at hand.

The William T. Kendall auction sale by Prior a few days ago was a success.

Remember the Halloween Party at Odd Fellows Hall on Thursday evening, Oct. 31.

Carpenters are putting the Baptist meetinghouse into good shape for winter service.

Angy Crovo sells all the varieties of foreign and domestic fruits found in the Boston markets.

Mrs. James E. Fowle has our thanks for comps to the M. E. Church Fair on Oct. 30, 31.

Thanksgiving Day comes 5 weeks from yesterday. It is about time to begin to fatten the turkey.

A report of work done on the roads in this city since last April would make interesting reading.

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Punkin and mince pies are now in order. Likewise doughnuts.

Major Hall is housed up with a coat and Capt. Crane is disconsolate.

If he would consent to run Mayor Davis would be a very popular candidate this fall.

The fall meeting of the Woburn Conference is to be held at Melrose on Tuesday, Oct. 29.

Mrs. Mary C. Eager has moved from Pleasant street to Mrs. Bancroft's on Mishawum Road.

Mr. Charlie A. Jones, Treasurer of the Five Cent Savings Bank, is away on a hunting trip.

Mr. George E. Fowle, Commissioner of Buildings, went to the Pan-American Exposition last week.

Last Sunday was another fine one for going to meeting, or staying at home either, for that matter.

When the L. & B. Co. land their cars in the Square the Common will have lively electric surroundings.

The G. A. R. Fair at Lyceum Hall is the liveliest function that this city has seen for a month of Sundays.

Mayor Davis opened the grand Post 33, G. A. R., Fall Wednesday evening. He is an adept at such tricks.

We received a brief but welcome call from Mrs. Assistant Editor Wilson of the *Winchester Star* a few days ago.

The soloist at the Unitarian church next Sunday morning will be Mr. H. B. Clement, baritone, of Boston.

There is authority for the statement that 407 search warrants for liquor selling have been issued by the Court.

Apples are as scarce as hens' teeth and prices have elevated them far above the reach of the average person or family.

Trial of them enables us to say that the cigars of the Warren F. Wetherell Co., 91 Causeway st., Boston, are prime.

A pretty good lot of dust has been flying in our street this week despite the efforts of the watercars to prevent it.

The Fair of the Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. Church is to be held in the Methodist Church on Oct. 30 and 31.

It is an interesting letter that Capt. John L. Parker writes about the venerable and highly respected Woburn *JOURNAL*.

Mr. Warren N. Blake and Miss Emma P. Bond were married at Mr. G. Edward Winn's last evening. It was a great society event.

Judge John G. Maguire, Associate Justice, is presiding at the District Court this week in the absence of Judge E. F. Johnson.

The Congregational Parish folks are preparing for their annual concert, which is to be given some evening in the first week of November.

The Maternal Association of the Congregational Church will hold a meeting next Wednesday, Oct. 30. The pastor will make an address.

Lyceum Hall is handsomely decorated outside and in for the G. A. R. Fair. It looks very fetching with its wealth of bunting and ribbons.

That Halloween Party by the Ladies Guild of Trinity Church at Odd Fellows Hall on Thursday evening, Oct. 31, is going to be a fine affair.

The Post 33, G. A. R., Fair opened in fine style last Wednesday evening. The attendance is great, and everything is running like clockwork.

Judge Johnson of the District Court and Mrs. Johnson are at the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo. They will also visit in Albany, N. Y.

Isn't it about time for the Lowell & Boston Company to put winter cars on their line? Open cars this weather is rather tough business. With well heated close cars the Woburn, Burlington, Billerica and Lowell road will be a popular one.

Last Tuesday Miss Dora Knapp of Church Avenue cheered the heart of the *JOURNAL* by fetching in and courteously presenting the Editor with a generous contribution of fine Sheldon pears, mellow and juicy, for which we return thanks.

It is quite the vogue nowadays for churches rich enough to do it to maintain foreign missionaries. The First Congregational church of Lincoln, Nebraska, supports Rev. James L. Fowle of Woburn, Mass., as their missionary in Ceylon.

Last Tuesday Col. A. L. Richardson, Commissioner George E. Fowle, Mr. Henry P. Harrington, and J. Q. A. Brackett, left the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo, N. Y., for their homes in this city, where they arrived in due season and prime condition.

It is the judgment of practical men that if the Woburn & Reading Street Railroad Company would run half-hour trips they would make more money than at present. A plenty of cars and cheap fares are what make business and swell the coffers of street railway owners.

Copeland & Bowser's business essays go to the right spot. There is a good one in this issue of the *JOURNAL*. In plain, strong King's English it tells a story that no one should close his or her eye to. The goods are all there, and the prices are marvelously low. Please peruse it.

Some thought the unfortunate man from Wilmington fell off a North Woburn car Tuesday evening, or perhaps was ejected by the carmen, but such was not the case; he was too many sheets in the wind to handle himself properly and our policemen kindly assisted him from the car to the lockup.

Mr. Charles M. Strout is recovering from injuries received from a fall from his wheel on the evening of Oct. 17 while coming down the hill on Montvale Avenue. The bruises and sprains he suffered kept him confined to the house, and for awhile to his bed, but he is now able to visit his store and look after business.

The evening illumination of the store of Hammond & Son is fine and attracts the attention of people. The electric lights are numerous and well arranged, and the effect is highly pleasing to the eye. By the way, the largest and best stocks of men's clothing, furnishing goods, underwear, hats, caps, etc., and the lowest prices, are to be found at Hammond's.

The delay in the delivery of the October *Household* to the *JOURNAL*'s subscribers has been remedied, and the publishers say "this is the last trouble that will occur." Clashings with the P. O. Dept. at Washington were to blame for the hitch. Hereafter, if the breeching holds, our *Household* subscribers will be subjected to no more annoyance from late deliveries.

U. S. Bank Examiners paid their regular visit to the Woburn First National Bank last Wednesday. It is a solid old bank, and the officers and clerks are honest.

A corrected and perfectly accurate timetable of the North Woburn Division of the Boston & Northern Street Railroad will appear in the *JOURNAL* of Nov. 1, 1901.

Miss Blanche Blackburn and Miss Bertha Sanborn are to boss the Peanut Stand at the Ladies Aid Society Fair in the Methodist Church next Wednesday and Thursday.

There isn't another person in town that can lay a carpet so smoothly and make so little fuss about it as Mr. Charles L. Smith, the old time and well known upholsterer.

Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Scudder attended the Yale Bicentennial this week. They got back to the parsonage on Academy Hill last Wednesday. The Doctor is a Yale graduate.

Mr. Albert P. Barrett kindly put the *JOURNAL* in shape to attend the great Post 33, G. A. R. Fair. Thanks. The Fair is in full feather. It closes tomorrow evening.

The City Council are to be appealed to in relation to the abandonment of the Pleasant and Common streets loop of electric tracks by the N. W. Div. of the B. & N. St. Ry Co.

The Great Boston Food Fair closes next week and those who have not attended it, but want to, must get a move on right away. Great crowds from all over New England visit it daily.

New up to date cars will soon be running on the Salem street div. of the Boston & Northern Street Railway—formerly the East Middlesex line. There is need enough of them, Mercy knows!

There is no dessert more toothsome than quince preserves. They are truly delicious, and the only trouble is to get enough of them. At Linnell's Market are stacks of fine quinces as were ever raised. And other good things.

There is to be another rummage sale at the Centre in a few days. This time it is the Montvale Christian Endeavorers who will try their hand at merchandizing. Hope everybody will contribute generously to its stocks of goodness.

We had another of those old fashioned "Weather Breeder" last Wednesday. It was nearly as hot in the sun as summer almost and how every body did enjoy it. Such days in the fall are supposed to "breed" more weather.

The "Durward Boys" are, and have been for years, famous marks men. At rifle shooting matches they seldom fail to lead the procession, or to capture the grand prizes. At the Brookside shoot last week Wednesday, at the celebration of the 66th anniversary of the birth of the Maine Platoon, George Durward won first prize, the Simonds Medal; and his brother, W. A. Durward, second, the Hammond Medal. There are four of these stalwart "Boys," all imbued with a military spirit, lovers of a gun, and riders hard to beat.

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Yesterday morning Mr. Herbert L. Richardson, member of the laundry firm of A. L. Richardson & Brothers, home 26 Salem street, from which his physician fears he may not recover. He is a comparatively young man, but has not had good health of late. He belongs to an old Woburn family and is highly respected.

P. S.—The attack occurred about 7 a. m., and he died a little after 12 m. the same day.

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Responding to a few words by the *JOURNAL* respecting the qualifications of Mr. Lester E. Smith for the School Board in Winchester the *Star* says: "Our neighbor might have added that Mr. Smith is competent to hold any other office within the gift of the town—Selectman, for instance." Certainly, why not? Lester graduated from the *JOURNAL* office with the highest honors some years ago, and *JOURNAL* graduates hardly ever fail to reach the top.

Supt. Brackett resumed 15-minute trips on the N. W. Div. of the Boston & Northern Street Railroad last Saturday evening and made things lively. Additional power from Wakefield and Lowell enabled him to do so and the result in traffic has been satisfactory. He believes that, if a street, or any other, Railroad Company would make money they must give the public what they ask for, and at low prices. Which is true and sensible business philosophy.

Fires—The alarm from box 46 at 12:15 Monday noon, was for a stack of hay on fire at Montvale. The alarm from the same box at 1:15 p. m., Tuesday was for a fire in the dwelling of Mrs. Mary Carpenter at 12 Albany Street, Montvale. The alarm from box 56 at 3:38 p. m. Tuesday was for a fire that burned the rear of a carpenter's shop on High street. The alarm from box 55 at six minutes of 3 Wednesday afternoon was for a brush fire in the rear of Alex. Porter's greenhouses on Burlington street.

Main street had a great streak of luck last Tuesday. As everybody knows, that much used thoroughfare needs repairing the worst way. Well, when the going sounded for a fire early last Tuesday afternoon a pair of horses belonging to the city and used on the steamer were hauling crushed stone to some place and the minute the gong was heard they were started on a dead run up Main street for the steamer house taking a load of stone along with them. The tailboard of the cart gave out and the result was that Main street for half a mile got the finest coating of crushed stone it has had since Adam was a boy.

According to the figures kindly furnished the *JOURNAL* by Arthur E. Gage, Esq., Clerk, there were issued by the Fourth District Court for violations of 34 statute laws, 363 warrants during the year 1900, and 749 in 1901. In 1900 there were 349 search warrants for liquors, and in 1901, 407, showing an increase of vigilance on the part of the Mayor and Police. In 1900 there were 667 arrests for drunkenness, and in 1901, only 450, which is an argument in favor of no license that cannot be overcome. These figures should have a heavy bearing on the Yes and No vote in December, and probably will. They tell a most encouraging story.

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wouldn't think it when seeing him step off as lively as a cricket, with brain as bright and active as a boy's. Mr. Kimball was born and raised to manhood in Wells, Maine, an old town that has produced a great many good people, the name of one of whom modestly prevents our mentioning, and discussing some of them and their homes. The Editor was greatly edified with Mr. Kimball's recitals of his early recollections. The fact is, we had a good time together, and hope to have many more.

As cold days and colder evenings come creeping on the properly contented mind naturally turns to oyster stews. It is a sort of instinct firmly planted in the human heart. Cold weather and hot oyster stews are a perfectly natural combine, and he who fails to follow it is the more to be pitied. Crawford, the well known and popular confectioner, composes oyster stews and serves them at his neat and pleasant parlors, of a character that defies criticism. He may well be termed an artist at the business, and, pro bono publico, we would suggest that the guest is not obliged to strip off his coat and dive for the one oyster in the stew, as is too often the case at church suppers and donation parties.

They say that Boston brewers and wholesale liquor dealers are preparing to put up dead loads of money to carry Woburn for license in December, but it doesn't seem as though they could be so shortsighted as to do it. It would be a case of "a fool and his money soon parted," with a whole lot of money can't carry Woburn for license this year; the sentiment of the people is against it, and dollars can't successfully buck against the drift of public opinion. Unless all signs fail, this city is as sure for no license in December as anything can possibly be. The people have seen the effects of that policy and like. They are not going to vote against their interests. The "pocket nerve" is the most sensitive in the human makeup.

Supt. Brackett abandoned the N. W. Div. loop around the Common last Tuesday morning and in that way created a commotion. The cars on that Division now run straight down and up Main street instead of over their former course on Pleasant and Common streets, via the B. & M. station, to Main street. Supt. Brackett says the installation of 15-minute trips demands this change, and its adoption will be of great advantage to the public. Remonstrances are already in circulation among the people, and a sharp legal fight will most likely grow out of this policy and like. They are not going to vote against their interests. The "pocket nerve" is the most sensitive in the human makeup.

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Fire Alarm Boxes.

Box. LOCATION.

1. Middlesex Leather Co., Conn. St. Private.

2. How & Co., Cross St., Private.

3. Cor. Hart Place and Lowell Street.

4. Cor. Main and Clinton St., Central Square.

5. City Almshouse.

6. Cor. School and New Boston Sts.

7. Cor. Main and School Sts., North Woburn.

8. Junction Elm and Pearl Sts., North Woburn.

9. Main St., near Horse Car Stable, No. Woburn.

10. Cor. Grove St. and Harrison Ave.

11. Junction Burlington and Lexington Sts.

12. Cor. Cambridge and Bedford Streets.

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14. Cor. Rialto and Wins Sts.

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18. Cor. Middle and Washington Sts.

19. Junction Bow and Beach Sts.

20. Main St., opp. Green Street.

21. Cor. Cedar and Washington Sts.

22. Central St., opp. School-house (Montvale).

23. Salem St., Woburn.

24. Cor. Montvale Ave. and Maple St.

25. Cor. Montvale Road and First Street.

26. Cor. Green and Mt. Pleasant Sts.

27. Eastern Ave., opp. Jefferson Ave.

28. Cor. Main and Washington Sts.

29. Cor. Main and Hudson Sts.

30. Main St., opp. Ash Street.

31. Main St., opp. Lake Avenue.

32. Cor. Arlington and Carter Sts.

33. Cor. Green and Madison Sts.

34. Main St., opp. Salem St.

35. Cor. Main and Park Sts.

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FRIDAY, NOV. 1, 1901.

Republican Ticket.

STATE.
Governor, W. Murray Crane.
Lieut. Governor, John F. Bates.
Secretary of State, William M. Olin.
Treasurer, Edward S. Bradford.
Attorney General, Herbert Parker.
Auditor, Henry C. Turner.

COUNTY.
Clerk of Courts, Theodore C. Hunt.
County Commissioner, Henry C. Milligan.
Sheriff, John R. Fairbank.
District Attorney, George A. Sanderson.
Special Commissioners, Edward E. Thompson, David L. Strang, David L. Robinson.
Councillor, Alvin S. Wood.
Senatorial, Herbert S. Riley.
Representative, Arthur E. Roberts.

ROBERTS AND RILEY.

By good rights the vote for Arthur E. Roberts and Herbert S. Riley, candidates for Representatives to the Legislature, ought to go ahead of that for Governor and other State officers, because they are home men, worthy and well qualified, and local pride should insure them an extra vote. Republicans can show their appreciation of the merits of Roberts and Riley in no better way than by piling up a majority for them in excess of that for the general ticket.

If these two gentlemen are elected, of which there can be no reasonable doubt, the 28th District will have a representation in the House that Republicans will have no occasion to feel ashamed of, for both are capable and honest, and will do business at the State House instead of spending their time over pet schemes of no value to anybody.

We hope and expect to see Roberts and Riley run ahead of the ticket next Tuesday and elected by a rousing majority.

VOTE EARLY.

Every Republican in this city should take it on himself to vote next Tuesday and see to it that his Republican neighbor does the same. It is a duty that each man owes to himself, to his Party, and to the State. No excuse short of real inability can absolve him from a prompt and cheerful performance of it.

Vote early! There is always danger in putting off the business of voting until the last hours or minutes of the open polls. Something almost always happens to cause such procrastinating people to lose their vote, and it is wrong to run the risk.

Healthy Republicans oughtn't to wait for a carriage to take them to the polls. If imbued with a true patriotic spirit they won't do it.

HON. A. S. WOOD.

Discussing the political situation hereabouts the *Woburn Citizen* and *Banner* of last week paid this well deserved compliment to Hon. A. S. Wood, the Republican Senatorial candidate in this District:

"Senator Wood is opposed for reelection by his townsman, Capt. Crane. It is customary to award a Senator who has faithfully tried to do his duty and serve his constituents the honor of a second term. The character of a man is best ascertained by inquiry among his neighbors and fellow citizens. In the city of his home Mr. Wood has a reputation unimpaired, and is esteemed as an honest, able and honorable man. We deem him worthy of the office for which he has been nominated."

LAUDS ROBERTS AND RILEY.

The Woburn JOURNAL lauds Representative candidate Herbert S. Riley as in every sense of the word worthy of the suffrages of the District, and offers the opinion that "Roberts and Riley will make a Representative team at the State House next winter that the Republicans of this District will have no cause to be ashamed of."—*Reading Chronicle*.

STATE ELECTION.

The annual election of State and other officers will take place next Tuesday. So far as the general ticket is concerned the only question to be decided will be the size of the Republican majority, or how much larger this year than last. The Democracy are keeping up a bold front, but it will avail them nothing at the polls, for they are doomed to defeat.

It ought not to be necessary to urge Republicans to do their duty on election day. Certain victory will not be a good excuse for any to remain away from the polls. They should be just as interested and active as though the issue were in doubt. Vote early!

GREAT PRAISE.

The Woburn JOURNAL reached its fiftieth birthday with the last issue. We congratulate the city on having a able and loyal champion—one which ever speaks words of wisdom from the experience of ripened years—sparing neither words of praise nor censure where they are deserved—*Reading Chronicle*.

Those words of commendation bring blushes to a face that supposed it had been proof against them many years. They are cheering words, and we feel grateful to our kind neighbor for uttering them.

DON'T GET TIRED.

The Republicans of this city should not weary in wooing. They must make a cross against the name of every Republican candidate on the ticket from top to bottom, instead of marking a few of the first ones and letting the others go. Particular care should be taken to cross Roberts and Riley. Don't get tired before the lower end of the ticket is reached.

SENATOR WOOD.

The Republicans of Woburn ought to roll up an extra large majority for Senator Wood just to show the Wakefield Mugwumps that he is appreciated at home where he is best known.

There should be no Republican "Stay-at-Homes" on election day.

When Mr. Horace Hastings, proprietor of the *Lynn Item*, sent a check of \$25 to the managers of Post 33, G. A. R., Fair had hit a handsome and generous deed. He was once a respected citizen of Woburn and a member of Post 33, and has not forgotten his former home and Army comrades. Mr. Albert P. Barrett, one of the Managers of the Fair, a Veteran who everybody esteems, learned the printing trade under Mr. Hastings when he was publisher of the *Woburn Guide*. Post and ever since then a warm fellowship has existed between the two. The Post were exceedingly grateful to Comrade Hastings for his thoughtful and liberal donation to their Fair.

The Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo, N. Y., closes tomorrow. Arrangements have been made to have it expire in a blaze of glory. The Exposition has been a failure financially, the prepared creditors, stockholders, will get only about 35 percent on their investments, and others will get nothing, or next to it. The fact is, these big Fairs have run to empying, so to speak, and it is about time for them to dry up.

We should hope that every Woburn Republican doing business in Boston would be thoughtful and interesting enough to vote before taking his train in the morning.

Having a Senatorial and a Representative candidate in this city, a sense of pride, if nothing else, ought to induce every Republican to go to the polls and vote next Tuesday.

Given favorable weather, the vote in this city next Tuesday will be more than sizable, it will be large, we opine.

News comes from Reading that Roberts and Riley will sweep the board as slick as a whistle!

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.
J. W. Johnson—Citation.
J. W. Thompson Co.—Hayler.

November comes in like a lamb this morning.

Mr. Edward Caldwell lost a fine horse last week.

Mrs. Abbie M. Hart visited friends in Malden.

Supt. Brackett tells us that his change to 15-minute trips works like a charm.

This is the first fall on record when the weather just suited everybody.

Mrs. Belle Patch is visiting Mrs. Jennie Greenleaf at North Berwick, Maine.

Towanda Club has been admitted into the Mystic Valley League, and are happy.

Mrs. J. H. Conway expects to take up her home in Philadelphia next month.

The High School ball, for which elaborate preparations are being made, is to be given on Nov. 15.

Mrs. Woodman, soprano, of Brookline, will sing at the Unitarian Church next Sunday morning.

The Public Hack Association will hold a meeting on the Common to arrange a schedule of prices for election day.

Sunday was an ideal October day. Nothing in the shape of fall weather could have been more delightful, unless it was the following Monday.

Parson Scudder said the Sons of Eli, of which he is one, had a great time at the bi-centennial last week. They acted just like a pack of boys.

If the firebugs of Cummingsville are not soon brought to book it will not be long before all the buildings in that quarter of the city will be destroyed.

Steamship tickets to or from Europe on all the lines; railroad tickets south or west; for sale by Charles R. Rosenquist, 36 Green st., Woburn-52w.

This evening, if nothing happens, the South End Social Club will give their annual ball. Heretofore the Club's balls have always been marked social events.

Our correspondent thrusts a sharp point into the cuticle of the advocates of "the Kelley Lot" for the new school house. His suggestions seem practical, so take the lot.

The N. W. Electric car loop question will, no doubt, be amicably settled. The parties on both sides of it are too sensible to have a fight over it. Nobody will be hurt.

A few days ago Miss Nellie Ellis of Wynn street ate ripe raspberries picked from outdoor bushes that day. That was something that does not often happen in this latitude.

There is every reason to believe that the Halloween Party at Odd Fellows Hall last evening by Trinity church ladies came out just as it was planned and proved a fine success.

The assembly given by Clan Macdonald in Music Hall last Saturday day evening was a highly enjoyable affair. There was a large attendance and everything passed off admirably.

Hanson & Co., the leading Woburn jewelers, silversmiths, watchmakers, etc., are doing a fine business this fall. Mr. Varney is a skilled workman, and Cummings and Goods are close seconds.

Dr. John M. Harlow was a witness in the Trusteeship controversy over the Dr. Clough estate before an Auditor in Boston the other day. F. P. Curran, Esq., appeared in behalf of the City of Woburn.

Beginning this morning the price of milk will be 7 cents a quart, due probably to lack of rain this fall. The price is too high for the quality of milk, and the people get for their money. Any quantity of it will "sour" before it can be used.

Supt. Emerson says the present Evening School is a model institution of learning. Notwithstanding its 147 scholars and 8 teachers matters run as smooth as oil. The conduct of the scholars is highly commendable, order perfect, and progress in studies all that could be asked for. Supt. Emerson takes great interest and pride in the School.

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HUNTLEY'S, "The Prescription Store,"
417 MAIN STREET.

A Halloween party was held at the house of Mr. J. W. Johnson for the young folks.

Loop or no loop, Whitcher's store windows continue to attract a great deal of public attention, for they are filled with fine pictures, photographs of interesting objects, and odd bits of work. Whitcher manages to make the inside attractive too.

Coming into collision with an electric car while responding to a call for the Cummings fire Lewis Ames was thrown from the horse wagon at the corner of Main and Clinton streets and quite badly hurt. It was a narrow escape for all the men on the wagon.

We are indebted to Senator Alva S. Wood for a handsomely executed volume containing the "Public Services in Memory of Roger Wolcott at Symphony Hall, Boston, April 18, 1901," and a fine portrait of the late beloved Governor, for which we feel duly grateful.

The Ladies Industrial Society of the Baptist church are to hold a rummage sale in Allen's Block Nov. 7, articles for which should be left at the salesroom on Nov. 6. The ladies hope the public will lend a helping hand to the enterprise by contributions of goods and purchases.

It has been decided at headquarters that the Y. M. C. A. Week of Prayer shall be held on Nov. 10-16 inclusive. Any Association that cannot devote the whole week to it are recommended to give Sunday, the 10th, to prayer and other appropriate exercises for the Order.

Mr. George E. Brown came home from Boulder, Colorado, where he has valuable mining properties, two or three weeks ago and will remain here a couple of months longer. He is recovering from the injuries received from an accident on that same time ago, and is looking hearty and healthy.

Fire—The alarm from box 66 at 11:55 A. M. last Saturday was for burning leaves and fence on the Dow estate Sturgis street. The alarm from box 33 at 9:05 P. M. followed by a second alarm was for a fire which burned two pig houses below to Charles Cummings on Cambridge street, Cummingsville. The alarms from box 47 and 42 yesterday afternoon were for brush fires.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Methodist church will have an entertainment and food sale Wednesday evening, Nov. 6, at the Chapel. Mr. Ekman, the talented young violinist, will assist in the entertainment, and a soprano soloist from the Arlington church. Other Woburn friends are expected to take part in the program.

The employers of Caldwell's ware-rooms gave a party in Ames's Hall, Wilmington, last Wednesday evening for the benefit of Mr. Charles W. Ames, a fellow employee, who has been at the Massachusetts General Hospital several weeks suffering from an injured leg, on which several operations have been performed. The party was a financial success.

Rev. Mr. Kron reports to the JOURNAL that the Fair of the Woburn Swede Lutheran church held in Winchester Town Hall last week was a great success. The attendance was large and receipts about \$600. It was highly enjoyable all through, and the liberal patronage of the people was duly appreciated. Mr. Kron was pleased with the result.

The Burlington Church have secured Mrs. Charles M. Strout for their organist for the current year. She is fully competent to fill the position with entire satisfaction, for there are few, if any, better educated musical people in this city, or who take deeper interest in musical work than she does. The Church was fortunate in engaging Mrs. Strout for their organist.

Mrs. H. E. Hopkins will return Saturday to her home in Wilmington.

W. R. C. No. 161 will give a Whist Party Wednesday, Nov. 6, at 8 o'clock. Admission 10 cents.

Next Sunday afternoon Rev. H. D. Stevens of Reading will give the helpful thoughts in Clarigold Hall at 3.30, where Woburn friends are always welcome.

Supreme Governor Treadwell of the Order of the Pilgrim Fathers will visit Abner's Colony Wednesday evening, Nov. 6, Brewster Colony has been invited to attend.

Mr. Charles Cummings, the Cambridge st. farmer, stockraiser, and coal dealer at the Centre, lost some 400 or 500 swine ranging in size from a kitten to a big porker, and the two buildings in which they were kept, on Locust street, Cummingsville, by fire last Sunday night and Monday morning. An alarm was rung in box 33 a little after 9 o'clock Sunday evening, and a few minutes after a second was pulled in, and the Department rushed to the scene of the conflagration. The firemen found the long buildings containing the swine, nearly new, situated on the farm, a seething mass of flames, pigs, and hogs burning, and great commotion among the people. There were about 800 animals in the sheds, some 300 or 400 of which escaped the fire and were saved.

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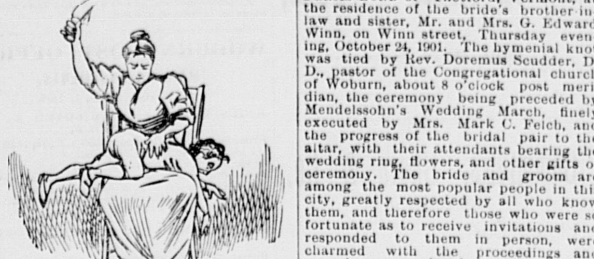
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Boston Theatre.

BOSTON MUSEUM.

It must not be forgotten that the beautiful, deeply interesting, powerfully presented rural drama "Sky Farm" will not be seen in any other New England city than Boston. In any other theatre save the famous old Boston Museum, where our forefathers, as well as the present generation of playgoers, sought and continue to seek rational enjoyment. The general verdict of the thousands who have seen this marvellously fascinating production by the Charles Frohman company, is that it is far away beyond any other play of its kind ever seen on the New England stage. It is, as is now probably well-known, a play of rural New England and every one of its many wonderfully clear-cut characters, from the village clergyman, the village boss, the village tom boy, the widowed village postmistress, the village good-for-nothing, the village hero, the village beauty, the "smart" city chap, who is perhaps "too smart" as he looks, down to the simple farm hand will be found to be familiar types to those who are at all acquainted with the picturesque folks and the honest hearts of the villages of New England. The setting of the piece is one of the greatest charms. There is an abundance of fun-making and love-making in "Sky Farm." Everybody in New England should see "Sky Farm" and thousands of them will as is abundantly proved by the great demand for seats at the box office from near and afar. No better company of players has ever been seen in a piece of this character. The piece now runs along so smoothly that the final curtain is now dropped at 4.30 o'clock in the afternoon and 10.30 o'clock in the evening. While "Sky Farm" is a great success at the Boston Museum its stay is positively limited because of the bookings already made outside of New England.

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THE PARK.

"Lovers Lane" at the Park Theatre has captured Boston just as it previously captured Chicago, New York, and other great cities. Its reception last Monday night was nothing short of an absolute triumph. William A. Brady has introduced many notable successes to Boston, but none more emphatic in every sense than this delightful Clyde Fitch play of New England village life. Fitch is the most popular and prolific playwright in America nowadays, and "Lovers Lane," with its sweetness, beauty, rustic charm, and its perfect comedy, and its perfect pathos may be recorded as his master triumph. One moment he tugs at the heartstrings of an audience, and the next inspires it to a tumult of merriment. A Boston first night audience seldom exhibits such spontaneous and sweeping enthusiasm as that evoked by "Lovers Lane." There was certain call for certain call, and the excellent players were given individual ovations, city claps, who is perhaps "too smart" as he looks, down to the simple farm hand will be found to be familiar types to those who are at all acquainted with the picturesque folks and the honest hearts of the villages of New England. The setting of the piece is one of the greatest charms. There is an abundance of fun-making and love-making in "Sky Farm." Everybody in New England should see "Sky Farm" and thousands of them will as is abundantly proved by the great demand for seats at the box office from near and afar. No better company of players has ever been seen in a piece of this character. The piece now runs along so smoothly that the final curtain is now dropped at 4.30 o'clock in the afternoon and 10.30 o'clock in the evening. While "Sky Farm" is a great success at the Boston Museum its stay is positively limited because of the bookings already made outside of New England.

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THE BOSTON.

There is a new star in the "Uncle Tom's Cabin" constellation at the Boston Theatre, and the immense audiences that crowd the vast auditorium are giving to Edward Harrigan, the new Uncle Tom, as cordial and enthusiastic a reception as was ever accorded this distinguished actor in Boston. It was to be expected that a finished artist like Mr. Harrigan would give the role of Uncle Tom, the reverent and faithful old slave of Harriet Beecher Stowe's mighty anti-slavery drama, a proper and adequate portrayal, and the excellent result is not surprising. He plays with dignity and repose, with pathos and sincerity, and with a convincing naturalness that appeals to the audience. He achieves for the actor reiterated calls of applause and curtain calls. Simon Legree, the slave owner of the Red River plantation, as played by Theodore Roberts, is another one of the great successes of the big Boston Theatre revival. So, too, are Emily Rigt, Mrs. Annie Yeamans, Annie Millin, Maud Durand, and Beatrice Abbey. R. Stockwell, Frank Lander, Frank Hatch and Walter M. Dodge. The big aggregation of negro supernumeraries is responsible for much of the realism and atmosphere of the performance. The essay contest, open to every schoolboy and girl in New England, with a \$1000 prize, and a prize for the best essay on the play, is still going on. Notwithstanding the extraordinary expenses entailed in the production of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" at the Boston Theatre, the newly established rule of "highest class attractions at fair prices" governs the Brady revival, one dollar securing the best orchestra seat, with 25c for the orchestra circle and 50c for the first balcony.

"The Kelley Lot."

Woburn, Oct. 29, 1901.

EDITOR JOURNAL: You will kindly allow me a little space in your paper to suggest a new site for our High School that is to be. It is whispered among some of the wise ones, that the "Old Frog Hole" on the Kelley lot is still in the minds of some people who hope to improve their property at the expense of the city. If there is need for the city to improve such a place for the benefit of a few, we should at least have the privilege of doing it in the most economical way. Suppose the city appropriate \$10,000 for the improvement of the "Frog Hole" rather than spend \$25,000 extra to build a High Schoolhouse in an unhealthy place. Then let us go far enough north to get a good, high place that will be healthy as well as pleasant. Such a site can be had by using the present site of the Charles street school (now abandoned), adding as much of the Walter Wyman and A. C. Carter places as may be required. This land is not more expensive than the cheapest that has been named, taking into consideration the small amount of grading to be done. The buildings are not new and yet can be moved onto less expensive land where they will pay a good rental. Sewers are in the street insuring the best sanitation. Besides the land is ground on which a checker for \$25, to other kind of property, is a far north, is nearer the geographical center of the city than any spot mentioned, centering much more to the lot talked of on Montvale avenue, being a much better site in which to build a foundation, having no ledge to blast out, and what is most important no coal hole to fill. I hope, Mr. Editor, this may be at least considered by our City Fathers when the time comes that we must face the situation and build the much needed High School building.

A BELIEVER IN WOBURN AND ITS FUTURE.

Post 33, G. A. R. Fair.

For several years past it has been the practice of Post 33, G. A. R., in conjunction with the Woman's Relief Corps, to hold a Grand Fair in the fall to obtain money for their Relief and Burial Fund, and always with marked success. Their work in this direction always met with public approval, all sympathies, and the inevitable result has been a handsome addition to the coffers of the Fund and for current expenses.

Two or three months ago the Post decided on holding a Fall Fair in the month of October and soon set about making due preparations for it. The plan met with the approval of the members of the Post and Corps. Committees were chosen, and measures begun for one of the largest and best that had ever been held in Woburn.

The time fixed on for its opening was Oct. 23, to continue until the following Saturday evening, Oct. 26. It was determined in official session that it would be the last one to be held by the Post, as the organization was growing smaller and smaller as the Veterans gradually passed over to the other side, and the fact was so announced.

The committees went to work zealously and the Fair soon began to assume shape. It was voted to hold it in Lyceum Hall, and near the time for its opening the venerable and popular decorator of Woburn, Col. Theodore Roberts, was engaged to do the decorations. The Hall was as bright and bunting were concerned, for the important occasion. The Old Colonel did his work admirably, the entire effect was a thing to behold, and the Hall never showed off to better advantage, either inside or out. The opening, preceded by a parade led by the Lyceum Club, took place on Wednesday evening, and proved to be an incident of interest and pleasure. Mayor Davis made the Inaugural Address and Commander F. T. Wadsworth, the public in a neat and appropriate speech.

The Fair was then open for business, and it did not lack for customers from start to finish. The attendance, all through, exceeded the expectations of the managers, and the spirit pervading it was of the most encouraging character. Each evening brought a mass of visitors, all of whom seemed to have a plenty of money, for trade flourished as it had never flourished before. The Hall, thanks to the taste and skill of the ladies of the Relief Corps, were handsomely arranged and presented a very attractive appearance. There was a large amount of interest on the part of the public from the opening to the close, the last evening witnessing a larger crowd than on any previous one, and business brisker. The findings of the enterprise have not been fully settled, but it is safe to say it yielded close on to \$1,000. This is a fraction less than some former Fairs of the Post, but it is a good average. Everybody is glad that it turned out a gratifying success, for its object was one of the most worthy that have claims on the public purse, namely, aid for the "Boys of '61." Never forget the Veterans of the Civil War, so long as one of them remains on this side of the River.

The awards of the committees were as follows:

School Flag—Cedar Street School Bunting flag. Johnson School, silk flag for each room. Dress Suit Case—Chas. W. Cooper. Shooting Game—J. S. Sney, \$5; Charles Sweeney, \$5; Thomas Anderson, \$2.00. Sofa Pillow—Harry W. Snow. Dishes—Harry H. Dodge. Boy's Suit—Chas. W. Cooper. Doll—Mrs. Oliver Stevens. Sewing Machine—Mrs. A. D. Smith. Lamp—Mrs. Thomas Cogswell. Rose Lily—Mrs. Charles H. Hyde. Four Baiting—Preserves (Mystery Box)—Mrs. Eunice Humphrey. Cake—Mrs. C. Pearson. Quilt—Lillian E. Quill. Oil Painting—W. C. C. Colegate. Couch—Bernard Fletcher. Prize for Largest Number of Tickets Sold: 1st, Leroy Brown, Ring; 2d, Marion Fritzsche, Bradford.

The vote for the Flag thrown by the different Schools is given below:

	Amount.	Votes.
Cedar Street School	15.35	207
Johnson School	12.85	172
Wyman	41.05	821
Ninth Street	25.40	325
Park	6.40	726
More Street	15.46	309
Highland	35.50	718
Rumford	27.00	240
Great	46.50	238
Cummings	47.16	343
Lawrence	13.00	260
	\$308.78	6173

NOTE.—The number of pupils in receiving the profits was furnished by Mr. Thomas Emerson, Superintendent of Schools.

The Committee in charge of the Flag Contest in the G. A. R. Relief and Burial Fund in late Fair desire to express their appreciation of the work done by the teachers and pupils in the different schools, thereby making it possible of us to turn over to the treasury a good sum.

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North Woburn.

The boss of the Independents in this village is reported as strongly favoring the election of S. R. Herbert S. Riley and advises all of his political ilk to vote for him. He is a power in the councils of the Independents here and at the Centre and his position will help Riley a great deal.

The Sunday School of the North Congregational church celebrated their 50th anniversary last Sunday evening by giving a Harvest Concert which was generally attended by the people of the village. The Concert was highly enjoyed by the children, who were beautifully decorated with autumn foliage. The programme consisted of an organ prelude, March de Triumphant, anthem, "Sing Alleluia Forth," quartet; Scripture reading and prayer by Rev. George H. Tilton; response, "He That Goeth Forth," quartet; Recitation, "Our Harvest Festival," Miss Helen Nichols; recitation, "Harvest Tide," Miss Helen Buck; recitation, "Autumn Leaves," Miss Elizabeth Bixby; singing by the choir; recitation, "A Great Need," Putnam Eaton; recitation, "Autumn," Dorothy Cook; recitation, "Harvest Home," Marjorie Lewis; duet, "Sowing and Reaping," Newton and Stanley Nichols; recitation, "How the Harvest Grows," Miss Eliza Curtis; recitation, "What Can Little Hands Do?" Miss Elsie Rollins; recitation, "Fruits of the Spirit," Miss Ruth Curtis; recitation, Theodore Coburn, Leslie Hecker, Grace Jackson, Elizabeth Hill. The Secretary and Treasurer made reports, Rev. F. S. Hunnewell of Reading made an address, and the pastor, Mr. Tilton, made brief remarks, followed by congregational singing.

Jumped on a Ten Penny Nail.

The little daughter of Mr. J. N. Powell jumped on an inverted rake made of ten penny nails, and thrust one nail entirely through her foot and a second one half way through. Chamberlain's Pain Balm was promptly applied and five minutes later the pain had disappeared and no more suffering was experienced. In three days the child was wearing her shoe as usual and with absolutely no discomfort. Mr. Powell is a well known merchant of Portland, Va. Pain Balm is an antiseptic and heals such injuries without maturation and in one-third the time required by the usual treatment. For sale by all druggists.

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Joseph T. Callahan, M. D., 19 Winn Street, (Dr. Conway's former residence.) WOBURN.

NOTICE.

My wife, Elizabeth M. Lynde, having left my bed and board, and gone, I hereby warn all persons from harboring her, and shall pay no bill of her contracting after this date.

CHARLES F. LYNDY, Lowell, Mass., Oct. 23, 1901.

Y. M. C. A.

An out of town speaker is expected for next Sunday and Mrs. C. M. Strout will sing.

Mr. H. A. Bragg, General Secretary of the Reading Y. M. C. A., will give a lecture to the boys this week Saturday, illustrated with pictures.

To the Public.

Allow me to say a few words in praise of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which I would very severely cough and cold and the pains in my chest disappeared entirely. I am most respectfully yours for health, RALPH S. MEYERS, 64-Thirty-seventh St., Wheeling, W. Va. For sale by all druggists.

WINCHESTER.

The rummage sale will close tomorrow, Nov. 2.

The Common is to be adorned with additional shade trees.

The Winchester Boat Club have closed up business for the season.

Rev. Joseph Dawson of Baltimore is delivering a series of addresses under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A.

Reunion Day will be observed by the Unitarian church on Sunday, Nov. 3. There are to be special services appropriate to the occasion.

In about a week the Y. M. C. A. are to give the grandest concert of the season. The best Boston musicians have been engaged for it.

Rev. John W. Suier has resigned from the School Board of which he has been a faithful and influential member for the past 14 years.

Henry J. Johnson, a chronic fault-finder, hopes the Democratic candidate for Representative in this District will be elected because, he says, there was cheating at the Republican Representative convention. Henry is a Mugwump of the highest class.

Last winter an infant child of mine had caught in a violent fever," says Elder John W. Rogers, a Christian Evangelist of Elletts, Mo. "I gave her a few doses of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and in a short time all her troubles passed away. This remedy not only cures croup, but when given as soon as the first symptoms appear, will prevent the attack. It contains no opium or other harmful substance and may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult. For sale by all druggists.

That Throbbing Headache. Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches. They remove the cause of the headache, and only 25 cents. Money back if not cured. Sold by Huntley & Co., Druggists.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets cure biliousness, constipation and indigestion. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect. For sale by all druggists.

CITY OF WOBURN.

CLERK'S OFFICE, October 18, 1901. In accordance with the provisions of Statute of 1899, Chapter 123, Section 1, the following meeting of the male citizens of Woburn qualified to vote will be held at the City Clerk's Office, on

TUESDAY, the 6th day of November, A. D. 1901.

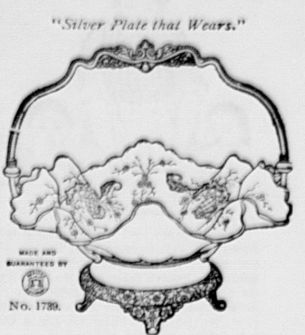
In the following places, namely:—

Ward One—Music Hall, Dow's Block, Main St.
Ward Two—Army, Prospect St.
Ward Three—Lyceum Hall, Main St.
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Ward Five—Lyceum Hall, Main St.
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Ward Ten—Lyceum Hall, Main St.

The Polls will be open at six o'clock in the morning and closed at four o'clock in the afternoon, and all such citizens will in the several wards in which they are entitled to vote, between said hours, give their vote for Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney General, County Clerk, Town Clerk, representatives in the General Court, County Commissioners, Town Associates, Commissioners, District Attorneys, Clerk of Courts, Sheriff, Justice of the Peace, and all other officers and positions.

By order of the Mayor and City Council.

JOHN H. PINN, City Clerk.



For the Sideboard

We are showing a variety of pieces in Meriden Britannia Company's "Silver Plate that Wears." This beautiful silver plated and decorated dish is fittingly enclosed in a handsome standard, the whole making a very attractive article. Other pieces of less or greater value, in the same grade of plate in almost endless variety.

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Mortgagee's Sale

—OF—

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Charles E. Eaton of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to George A. Simonds, dated January 10, 1899, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 276, Page 574, for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public sale, to-wit: at the County Clerk's Office, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and described as follows, to-wit: A certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon standing, situated in the northern part of said Woburn, containing 13,331 square feet, more or less, and bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stake and stone by the western side of Pearl Street, at the corner of a private way called Kimball's Court; thence easterly by said Court, about one hundred feet to a point of beginning; also the free use of said Court to cross and pass over all and singular the premises of the said lot of land, and to and from the same, westerly by land of said Page about one hundred four and 3/4 feet, and of Dennis Barnes; thence southerly by said Barnes land about one hundred and thirty-nine feet to said Kimball's Court; 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The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, NOV. 8, 1901.

TUESDAY'S ELECTION.

The total vote at the election in this State last Tuesday was, from natural causes, considerably less than last year. Nevertheless, Governor Crane's plurality reached the handsome figure of 70,000, which was satisfactory to the Republican Party.

The Republican State Committee were warmly congratulated on all hands for their good work.

There were but few changes in the political complexion of the Legislature. Boston gave Quincy about 7,000 plurality, which looks somewhat ominous for Mayor Hart's prospects for a re-election next month.

The Senatorial and Representative contests were the only question that gave so much as a semblance of life to the election in this city. The vote was only 1928, a falling off of 243 from that of 1900.

Having been led to believe that his election was possible, Capt. John P. Crane, the Democratic candidate for the Senate, a wealthy and honorable citizen, loosened his pursestrings and made things lively. Senator Wood had an untarnished record and high standing in the community to go and come on, and they served him a good turn. Notwithstanding the treacherous opposition to him here at home, he was elected by 800 plurality, with which he and the Republicans were content.

For reasons that honorable men would not allow themselves to be actuated by, a faction claiming to be Republicans but are such only when it serves their personal interest to be, because of the defeat of one of their number at the caucuses, worked hard to defeat Herbert S. Riley, Esq., Republican candidate for Representative, and succeeded. For a like reason they voted against Senator Wood, but failed to defeat him. They and their work will not be forgotten.

Representative Arthur E. Roberts, of Reading received a hearty support and was handsomely re-elected. He was worthy of it in every sense of the word.

Mr. Henry S. Aldrich, the successful Democratic candidate for Representative, is a gentleman who commands the confidence and esteem of all who know him. He is honest, well educated, clean, and will not disgrace this District by his official acts or personal habits.

Considering the character of the men who engineered the opposition to Mr. Riley, and the means they employed to defeat him, he and his friends were satisfied with what they did for his election, and are not whining in the least over the result.

The Republican vote for Governor was 350, close to the normal figure, and highly encouraging.

SENATOR WOOD.

The Wakefield Mugwumps, led by a cheap Democratic politician, did their level best to defeat the re-election of Senator Alva S. Wood last Tuesday because he refused to help them in their shady course on the Wakefield waterworks question in the Legislature last session. They were determined to beat him if possible, but were handsomely foiled by the votes of honest men. His plurality in the District was 800, enough for all practical purposes.

The Mugwumps and their Democratic leader did not confine their efforts to defeat Senator Wood to Wakefield, but performed missionary tasks in all the towns and cities in the District, and spared neither time, labor, nor Captain Crane's money to "down Wood." But their dishonest scheme turned out a lamentable failure, and Mr. Wood goes back to the Senate next winter with increased confidence and respect of all whose opinion is worth anything.

The true Republicans of Woburn are particularly well pleased over Senator Wood's reelection.

Present signs point to a sharp Mayoralty campaign from now on to the evening of election day. With Mr. Blodgett as the candidate of the Municipal League, Lawyer John P. Fennel heading the Democratic cohorts, and a possible Republican standardbearer, the most unpractical eye can plainly see a fight of no insignificant proportions. So far as we have been able to learn, the Republicans have not yet decided on the course they will pursue.

In the matter of Mayor they will, however, if the present feeling continues to prevail, consent to no interference from outside political organizations, as they have heretofore done, but will insist on conducting their affairs in their own way, and as Republicans. If Fennel consents to run, the Democracy will vote for him almost to a man. The Municipal League will be just as strong for Mr. Blodgett. But what about the Republicans? The probabilities are that they will make no nomination for Mayor, nor dictate to the Party a course for them to pursue at the election. This, however, is merely conjecture. It is certain, however, that at the present time, they propose to do the business themselves uninfluenced by the voice or vote of outside parties. If these remarks hit the core of the situation, it can be clearly seen that a big Mayoralty contest is on hand in this city.

Last week President Roosevelt issued a Proclamation recommending that Thursday, Nov. 28, be observed as a National Thanksgiving Day in a proper and becoming manner. It being a State institution, to make it binding the Governor makes proclamation, and usually adopts the date recommended by the President.

Under present circumstances it is not likely that Hon. George F. Beau should be induced to accept a nomination for the office of Mayor of this city. Prominent men would like to see him a candidate and believe he would win, but present conditions do not admit of his seriously considering the question.

Ald. J. R. Wood banks on Mr. Blodgett for Mayor for all he is worth. He might go farther and fare worse. Blodgett comes about as near filling the bill as they make 'em. The Municipal League are solid and strong for him.

Last Saturday evening Lieutenant L. E. Hanson, U. S. A., arrived here from Fort Columbus N. Y., where he has been on duty since leaving Woburn a few weeks ago. He has orders to report at Columbus, Ohio, on Nov. 22, from whence, after gathering up some recruits, he will repair to San Francisco, and about the latter part of December sail for the Philippines to join his Regiment, the 26th Regulars, now stationed at those Islands. He enjoyed his stay at Fort Columbus, highly, having fallen in with a fine set of Army Officers, who gave him a reception as cordial as though he was, like them, a West Pointer. "A man's a man, for a' that." Having served two years in the Philippines, Lieutenant Hanson goes back to the familiar scenes, and is in no way loth to do so, although, of course, service in a white man's country might be preferable. He will leave here in season to reach Columbus by the 22d, where, it is possible, he will eat his Thanksgiving dinner.

It should be kept in mind that three new members of the School Board are to be chosen at the next City Election, and that it is an important matter to be considered by the people. Only the very best timber should be selected to fill the vacancies, and no politics ought to figure in the election.

Some people had laid the flattering unction to their souls that Berle, the Brighton minister, had been permanently suppressed, but it now appears that Chapman crowded before he got out of the woods, for there have been signs of late that Berle still exists.

Mayor Davis put in some good work for Riley last Tuesday. It looks as though the Mayor might be flattered somewhat with Republicanism.

General Apathy was in command here last Tuesday, as well as in other sections of the State.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

J. Leathe—To Let.
C. E. Smith—To Let.
G. F. Jones—To Let.
San Lee—To Let.
A. E. Spraul—Kakas.
City—To Let.
F. P. Curran—Citation.
J. G. Maguire—To Let.
J. W. Johnson—To Let.
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Wm. Woodbury—To Let.

Notice to "Household" Subscribers.

We have received three letters from the Publishers of "The Household" of New York explaining the delay in issuing the October number to JOURNAL subscribers. Last Tuesday morning the following reached this office, dated Nov. 4:

New York City, Nov. 4, 1901.
Mr. Geo. A. Hobbs, The Woburn Journal, Woburn, Mass.

Dear Sir: Your favor of the 2nd inst. is before me. I would say I know the trouble you have been put to, but we have the Post Office at New York to blame for it. We were without the privilege of mailing for 10 days to two weeks, and the result was that we were unable to deliver our October number. Our November issue is now on the press and will be mailed commencing this week. I am sure you will not mind the delay, as we have no reason why you should not receive copies promptly hereafter, but if the post office does as they did with us, our subscribers will have to suffer.

We trust that you will appreciate this position and give the explanation necessary.

Yours truly,
Wm. J. Thompson, Treas.
"The Household" Company until the date of the November issue is determined. If that is delivered promptly, then the business will be continued; if not, then our relations with "The Household" cease.

The Union street school had their visiting day last Wednesday.

Mrs. Abbie Hart is visiting with Mrs. Butters on Winn street.

Give heed to the notice of the Registrar of Voters in this paper.

The Cummingsville fires are being officially investigated at last.

The Knights of Columbus are to hold a Social at their rooms on Nov. 12.

Mrs. George Perkins of North Woburn has been and still is quite sick.

The probabilities are that Ald. Elmore A. Pierce will be re-elected in Ward 4.

Angy Crovo is pluming himself on the fine stock of apples he has on hand.

Mrs. C. Willard Smith and Jeanette are in New York with Mr. Smith.

Madam Sarah Grand is given a reception by the Press Club at the Vendome today.

Mr. Cronan, victim of the Central Square accident, has sued the city for damages.

Congressman McCall will speak before Towns Club on Monday evening, Nov. 11.

Rev. Dr. Scudder agreed to remain with the Congregational Church until Dec. 15.

"Haggerty, the Printer," is showing his Daily Times right along and coining wealth.

Congregational annual concert tonight. Fly around and find the 25 cents admission fee.

The St. Charles Auxiliary will give a minstrel show on Nov. 13. It is going to be bangup.

The police captured the lad, about 15 years old, that broke into Moore & Parker's store Sunday night.

Some think it is about time that the open cars on the Burlington Road should be charged to close ones.

The Municipal League's new Headquarters are at Thompson block corner of Everett and Main streets.

Mr. George Durward, the market man, is building a residence on Wyman street for himself and family.

There is a man in Ward one fighting for the office of Alderman-at-Large, but he probably won't get it.

The Celtic Association will hold their 31st annual ball on Thanksgiving eve. They always give a good one.

Aberjona Court of Foresters attended a reception given by the West Medford Court last Monday evening.

The Ladies of the Trinity Episcopal will hold a Supper and Sale at Odd Fellows Hall, Thursday, Nov. 21.

Last Wednesday evening George S. Cutler attended the reception and supper of the Roxbury Horse Guards.

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417 MAIN STREET.

If Blodgett should be Mayor and the city should go "No License" he would have the liquor laws enforced as rigidly as Mayor Davis has.

Lawyer John P. Fennel went to New York Tuesday to pick up political points to serve him in the coming Mayoralty contest in this city.

Mr. Gilman F. Jones and family are about to move into the house known as the Flag house, on Charles st., which has been fitted up in fine shape.

Last evening the City Council wrestled with the N. W. electric car loop around the Common. What was done has not been learned at this office.

Among the welcome visitors in this city last week were Mr. and Mrs. F. George Beggs of Confluence, Pa., and their daughter, Miss Elsie Beggs.

Benjamin Champney and Mrs. Arthur Wyer and the young daughter Wyer, have returned from North Conway to their winter home in this city.

Samuel W. Mendum, Esquire, Lawyer and Literateur, is happily domiciled with his family in one of the most fashionable quarters of this city.

Steamship tickets to or from Europe on all the lines; railroad tickets south or west; for sale by Charles R. Rosenquist, 36 Green st., Woburn-52w

The Salvation Army have given up the fight here after 15 years of hard work and left Woburn to her fate. The Evil One carried too many guns to them.

Tomorrow, wind and weather permitting, the Woburn Driving Club will hold a third meeting on the Lexington tracks. Several fast ones are in training for it.

The person that can find out who Lawrence Martin wants can give the name of the man the Democrats will nominate for Mayor with both hands tied behind him.

It is hinted that there may be changes in the heads of some of the City Departments on Jan. 1, 1902. We greatly fear that there "is a nigger in the woodpile."

The friends of Mr. Lawrence Reade have no doubt but that he will get the Democratic nomination for Mayor. He has many strong supporters for the place.

Charles Walter Andruss returned to his home here from the Massachusetts General Hospital last Saturday. It will be some time before he can resume work at Caldwell's.

The fine residence on Winn street for several years past occupied by Gilman F. Jones is advertised for rent. For particulars inquire of Mr. Gilman F. Jones at Central Station.

This is the season of the year when colds and coughs are apt to prevail, sometimes terminating in pneumonia. Huntley & Co. have specific remedies for all that sort of thing.

Leather business in E. P. Fox's factory has slackened up a little. He has been turning out a heap of leather lately, but a surplus of stock on hand compelled him to slow up last week.

The fire in Burlington last Friday night showed the need of fire apparatus in that town. Nothing of the kind is owned by Burlington and when a fire gets a start no means exists to extinguish it.

All parties should exercise great care and discretion in making selections for candidates for Aldermen at Large. On the character of the Council depends mainly the success or otherwise of public business.

About 8 o'clock Sunday evening someone saw smoke pouring out of Higley's store chimney and promptly rang in a fire alarm. It amounted to nothing, except to give the firemen a little exercise, and the joke was on the man who gave the alarm.

Smith's Real Estate Agency has sold the Shore estate, 75 Mishawum Road, to J. M. Pressey of Bradford, Vt., for a residence. The same agency sold the Glazier estate, 58 Mishawum Road, to H. W. Landell, Supt. of McKay factory, Winchester. Also residence No. 9 Grove street, to Robert T. Spencer of Woburn.

The old popular Boston Branch grocery is prepared to meet all demands for Thanksgiving week things with neatness and dispatch. Fritz & Stanley keep the very best of everything in their line, and no concern sells cheaper. They have served the public many years, and never failed to give perfect satisfaction.

The following people, among others, were at Lookout Inn, Ruggles & Turnball, proprietors, Pine Point, Me., during October: Henry F. Davis, Woburn; H. W. Percival, Cambridge; E. D. Pool, Boston; Geo. H. Savage and wife, Wallingford, Conn.; C. H. Taylor and wife, E. H. Lonsbury, J. M. Wallace, B. F. Waldron, of Woburn.

Sam Lee, an esteemed neighbor of the Journal, has been in the laundry business in this city many years, and is well and favorably known to nearly everybody in the place. His work is universally liked because it is of the very best quality and recommends itself wherever known. Mr. Lee is prompt in delivering his orders, and never fails to give entire satisfaction. See ad.

The Woman's Foreign Mission Circles of the Boston East Association will hold an all day basket meeting in the First Baptist Church, Wednesday Nov. 13. It is expected that Mrs. Waterbury, Mrs. Safford, who has recently returned from a tour of the foreign mission stations, and other interesting speakers will be present. All ladies interested in mission work are cordially invited to be present.

A very interesting young man, Henry P. Harrington of Woburn, called upon me last week to seek information about the old homes and founders of Winchester. He is smart as a whip and bright as a new dollar. His paternal grandfather was many years ago an engineer on the B. & N. R. R., and his maternal grandfather, Dr. Augustus Plympton, 60 years ago, a leading citizen and physician in Woburn.—Winchester Star.

The funerals of the young men, Fred A. Sutherland and Ralph G. Dittmar, who were drowned in Horn Pond, were held late last week and attended by a large number of people. Every respect was shown to their memory. They were good young men, well liked by everybody, and their sudden and tragic death is sincerely mourned by a wide circle of friends. The religious services were solemn and impressive.

Mr. Edward E. Parker has lately been installing heating plants at Ipswich, at which he is an adept. The young fellow that bronzed the steam pipes of his job cleaned his head on a brick in the cellar, and made it look so much like a veritable "goldbrick" that it created a little trouble in the family, the head of which had had some unpleasant experiences with the article when his wife was not at home to tell him better one day.

Rev. H. D. Stevens of Reading, last Sunday afternoon spoke warmly of the unity of religious co-operation in this vicinity as evinced in Reading particularly, and announced that the Unitarian and Unitarian ministers are to exchange pulpits next Sunday forenoon. In the Clarigold Service Sunday at 3:30, Mr. Clarke expects a former pupil of his, a New York organist, to spend the day with him, and accompany the singing on the organ.

Rev. Frederick Woods, D. D., of his pastor, preached a sermon to young men at the Methodist Episcopal church last Sunday evening that was well heard. It was addressed chiefly to young men, carrying along a strong appeal to them to be good, true, up-right and manly. Many young men heard the sermon and it would have been a good thing if many others had heard it. Mr. Woods's statements, arguments, and appeals must have gone to and squarely hit a number of consciences and hearts among his hearers, and there can be no doubt but that they will bring forth good fruit in due season.

Mrs. Mary Eager, 90-old years old, the only survivor of her own and the Eager family, having been removed to a boarding house in another part of the city, the Dwight Eager home, 53 Pleasant street, was closed last Monday and is about to pass into other hands. Only a few years ago Mr. and Mrs. Eager, "Aunt Abby", sister of the latter, Eliza, daughter of Mr. Eager, and Hattie, his granddaughter, occupied the old residence, a happy family, and today but one of them survives and naturally she cannot last long. All are dead but the nonagenarian widow, and the Eager home will be known by that name no longer.

The International Publishing Company of Philadelphia have secured the services of Miss Clara D. Plinn as their agent for Woburn and vicinity to canvass for subscriptions to their valuable and popular works, the Life of William McKinley, and series of International Holiday Books, the best ever published. Her address is No. 7 Greenwood Ave., where she may be consulted and orders left. The above publications should be found in every family in Woburn. Miss Plinn is well known and highly esteemed in this city, where for many years she has been Chief Clerk in Postoffice, and has been connected with her for the above works, or for Harper's Magazine, will be executed to the letter. She is worthy of public patronage, and it is hoped she will find a plenty of customers for her books.

They continue to turn up now and then—the poor old playboy printer. One dropped in on us last Tuesday. He had "holed it" from Portland, Maine, stopping at news paper towns along the route for work or "a little lift," and struck the JOKE! penultimate, as they all do. Thirty years ago he picked type on the JOKE! for John L. Parker, and later, in 1875, he worked for Charles S. Parker on the Arlington Advocate, and since then the Lord only knows how many papers he has served. The "tramp printer" is a pitiful object, and yet his case is not so bad as some of them, for

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he is always sure of the "little lift" whenever he strikes a newspaper office, and, better still, he is an optimist, a happy-go-lucky, free-and-easy soul, with better "luck" always in sight, if never reached.

The St. Charles Catholic Total Abstinence Society elected officers for the term ensuing year on Oct. 31, ultimo, and are now fully equipped for continuing their warfare against the Great Enemy, Strong Drunk. The new officers are: Spiritual Director, Rev. Henry A. Walsh; President, Neal J. Doherty; Vice-President, Thomas J. McColgan; Recording Secretary, John J. Moran; Financial Secretary, John Gorman; Treasurer, Robert Byrne; Trustees, Neal J. Doherty, Dennis Murphy, John E. McColgan; Librarian, William Nash. They were privately installed yesterday evening. It is reported that the Society are preparing for the No License campaign, for the success of which they did such brave and effective work last year. They are busily engaged in their breastplates and helmets, and making their war paint, and are sure to be heard from on City Election day. Their help urged the scale in favor of temperance last year, and will this.

The loss of Mr. Charles Cummings on buildings and awine by fire on Oct. 27, was full \$12,000, and the insurance only \$5,000, leaving a net loss of \$7,000. Besides those burned many pigs were stolen and a great deal of property in growing vegetables destroyed. Mr. Cummings believes that with proper police protection there would have been no stealing or wanton destruction of field products, and that a considerable loss would have been avoided. He says his call on the central office for police help and protection was unheeded, and the result of one on the Mayor came too late to be of any use. Mr. Cummings is absolutely certain that the fire which burned up his property was of incendiary origin and that the firebugs might be found out and punished in short order and with slight trouble. It is the opinion of all Westiders that that section of the city is neglected by the police although a large amount of tax money goes into the public treasury from that section. Mr. Cummings sustained a severe loss of property, and he does not feel at all amiable towards some of our City Departments.

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The ranch of Senor Diaz was on a charming slope, overlooking the broad, smooth waters of one of the tributaries of the Parana, on whose opposite shore the rank grass grew ten and twelve feet high.

The house itself had a tropical character; it was Spanish-American, with a cool, shady veranda, a long, low front, painted walls and latticed windows, a spacious court and a flat roof, provided with parapets, which gave the whole structure the appearance of a fort. Many acres of cultivated land showed long lines of sugar cane, and tall trees laden with bananas, in surprising contrast to the dark, impenetrable mass of wild land which surrounded the distance.

Senor Diaz was one of the tropical beauties of whom Murillo dreamed. "I am going to test your gallantry," she said, coming out on the veranda where I sat, "by asking you to bring me water my flowers, for with my lame hand it is not easy for me to lift the heavy watering pot."

"I am at your service, but allow me—am I wrong?" to remind you that you promised to tell me the story of how your hand was lame."

"Certainly. As soon as the flowers are watered we will have coffee on the veranda, and you will hear all about it."

Accordingly I was shortly afterwards slipping coffee with the little Lolita, my host's only daughter and my pet, beside me, while her mother rolled a cigarette, lighted it and began as follows:

"When we came here this was a very wild place, and we had to endure a number of pests. For instance, when Lolita was a baby, my husband and his men went off one morning to work as usual, and the child lay asleep on a mat at the end of the room. Suddenly I saw on the floor the skin of a mouse, from which the whole body had been sucked, as from an orange. I knew at once that a snake must be near, for they feed on mice and eat them in this fashion, but, carefully as I looked about with a brilliant sea snake, till all at once it occurred to me that it might be under the baby's mat. I snatched the child up and placed her in safety. Then I lifted softly a part of the mat and there it was—the long, slimy, green and black reptile coiled up and fast asleep. Ah, how I jumped! I ran out into the courtyard to call for help. Luckily our man, Jose, was there, and he killed the reptile. But as we cleared more acres the snakes left us to hide themselves in the forest. I began to hope our cares were ended, but they were only just begun. Wild beasts now first appeared on the scene."

One morning while we were at breakfast one of our herdsmen brought the news that our cattle, which grazed in the tall grass on the other side of the river, had been attacked by a jaguar that had killed one of the bulls. The man who told us this had escaped with his life, yet he would have scarcely done so if he had not mistook the beast or had there not been a fat ox there."

A week passed without a new alarm, and we had come to think less about it, when suddenly three or four Indians rushed in to tell us how a jaguar had broken into our camp and killed a woman and one of their dogs."

When my husband heard the story, he judged that it was the same animal that had attacked our bull, for the Indians described it as a creature of singular color, far fiercer than any they had seen about so, that they named it "The White Death."

We all thought it high time to do something, and my husband called his people together to go out and hunt the animal.

I remember that morning distinctly. They went away cheerfully enough, each man with his gun and hunting knife, and more, our bloodhound, was with them. My husband turned around just as he entered the wood and kissed his hand to me. Then he and his companions vanished in the forest."

When I found myself with Lolita alone in the house and thought of what might happen if they met that terrible animal, such anxiety seized me, although I never thought I could be in danger that I could not be contented till I had locked every door in the house, and then I seated myself in the great sitting room, took Lolita on my lap and tried to tell her a story.

Suddenly I heard a scratching along the roof, and then a dull thud, as if something heavy had fallen.

ed through my mind. "Oh, heaven, the jaguar!"

I shall never forget that moment! For a second I was quite rigid and helpless, as if life had departed, and then a thought flashed upon me. The jaguar was not to be kept off if he penetrated from the roof, for most of the inner doorways had only draperies. In my dining room was a great wooden chest, nearly empty, and large enough to hold six or seven persons at once. If Lolita and I could get there, though, I was saved.

I seized the child, ran with her into the dining room and crept into the chest. Unfortunately it had a spring lock, so that I was forced to hold the lid open with my left hand to guard against its being closed immediately stifling us. But it had more than a lid of outer rim, which completely hid my fingers.

It was not a moment too soon. We were scarcely hidden when I heard the great jaguar, matching along the floor, and the hungry snarl of the jaguar showed me that he was in search of food.

He came straight to the chest and paused a moment, as if he feared a trap. Then he sprang up to the small opening, so that I could feel his hot breath. He sniffed and sniffed and then tried to raise the lid with his paw.

How I trembled! But, thank heaven, the great paw did not get into the narrow crevice, and I held the cover fast by clinging to the inner part of the lock with all the strength of desperation. All he could do was to stretch out his tongue and lick my fingers until they bled as if by a burn. And then, as he tasted blood and heard Lolita cry—for my poor darling was just as frightened as I was—his eagerness increased, and he began to utter piercing yells, which sent shivers over me.

I wonder why the fright did not kill me, but the touch of Lolita's little arm around my neck seemed to keep up my courage.

Still the worst was yet to come. When the jaguar found that he could not reach me from below, he sprang upon the chest. His huge weight crushed my fingers between the two parts of the lock. Then I thought all was over and shrieked so that my cries rang through the whole house.

But my cries were presently answered by a sound which made my heart throb with joy—answered by the barking of our bloodhound. The jaguar heard it, too, for he sprang down and stood for a moment listening, then ran to the door if it be.

Again came the sound of the dog's bark—this time nearer—and at the same time the voices of men calling to each other. Contrary to expectation, they were already coming back.

Meanwhile the jaguar seemed to be bewildered and ran wildly to and fro. Suddenly a loud cry came from one of the windows, followed by two shots and a fearful howl; then my husband's voice anxiously called:

"Where is the child, you say?"

I had just strongly enough left to get out of the chest, drag myself to the door and let my husband in. Then I swooned away.

They told me afterward that our bloodhound found the jaguar's trail, leading straight back to the house, and all hurried home at full speed, fearing harm would come to me.

My husband and Jose came in front of the rest and shot the jaguar through the hind leg, but my husband told me that when he saw the animal in the house he felt as if stifled.

I could not move a joint of that hand for many weeks afterward. The Indians gave me medicine to heal it, and they say that after while I shall be able to use it again. I did not need this injury to make me remember that day. If I were to live a thousand years, I could not forget the few terrible moments that seemed to comprise an eternity of terror.

A Dream Story.

In November, 1803, I awoke one morning fully impressed with the idea that I was receiving as a gift an unusually large gypsy ring set with a single sapphire with a brilliant sea on each side. The dream was a pleasant one to the female mind, and I soon fell asleep again, but only to awake with a still stronger impression that the jewel was actually in my hands. So curious was my sensations that on my next entering my room at 8 o'clock I told her of the two dreams, most minutely describing the ring, and I also asked my husband to bear witness to the statement should anything follow to confirm the dream.

Two hours later the postman arrived, and so great were my excitement and astonishment at seeing a small, neatly done up packet (evidently a ring case) that I dare scarcely open it and decided to wait until morning. Before breaking the seal I asked her to repeat the description of the ring that I had previously given her, and then the little packet was opened, and the joyful exclamation followed, "Why, my lady, here it is!" The ring was sent to me by a friend in memory of his wife, who had died some months before, but I had absolutely no idea that I should be the recipient of any souvenir of her, nor did I ever see her wearing the ring in question.—Spectator.

Orthodox Hard to Find.

A Scotch elder, who did not believe that his own minister held strictly orthodox views, wished to have his babe baptized, but would not risk its spiritual welfare by having him perform the rite in any heterodox manner. So he walked another town only to find the minister he sought was away fishing. The next one he was directed to had gone hunting. Filled with indignation he said to his companion: "We'll go to Malster Eskrine. That godly man will not be fishing or hunting."

So he found the house, but as he approached it he heard the sound of music. When the servant lassie opened the door, he remarked to her: "Ye have company the night. I hear the fiddle going."

"Na, na," she answered, blushing. "Robin could na play like you, but the minister ay fiddles a bit afore he goes to bed."

The good man went away without making his errand known. No minister who played the fiddle could baptize his babe, so he went back to his own, who neither fished, hunted nor played forbidden music, and let him name the child.

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1. "Now these are the names of the

children of Israel which came into

Egypt." He led them into Egypt, know-

ing that it would be to them a house of

bondage, as Jacob had said (Gen. 15, 20;

Ex. 1, 12). He foresaw everything and told

Abraham that his seed should be afflicted

in a strange land (Gen. xv, 13, 14) and

that afterward He would bring them out

with great substance. He permits His

people to be tried that He may be glorified

in them and that He may show His

mighty power, His people may know the

hand of the Lord that it is mighty and may

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The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, NOV. 15, 1901.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUSES.

Republican caucuses are advertised to be held at 8 o'clock p. m., on Tuesday, Nov. 19, to select an Aldermanic candidate for each Ward, and choose delegates to a convention to be held at the Republican headquarters at 4 45 p. m., Nov. 23, to nominate candidates for Mayor, three members of the School Committee, eight Aldermen-at-Large, and one member of the Board of Public Works for 4 years.

The caucuses should be very participatory to send to the convention as delegates quite true and tried Republicans.

The unexpected happened in Woburn in the defeat of Mr. Riley. This was brought about by the desertion of Republicans rather than the strength of the opposition. A critical situation in Republican ranks in Woburn is developed by the result and there is an opportunity for good missionary work for the wiseheads of the party in keeping the rupture from widening and becoming an important factor militating against Republican success in the future. —Reading Chronicle.

Evidently the Chronicle does not quite understand the situation in Woburn. There exists here, as in some other places, a set of men who glory in the name of "Independent Republicans," which in reality means that they are political bushwhackers, having no permanent connection with any Party, enjoying the respect and confidence of none, and fighting wherever they can do themselves the most good. In politics they answer to the bands of Federal and Confederate guerrillas in the Civil War, actuated by a desire for plunder, governed by no rules of civilized warfare, destitute of political principles, and more dangerous to those to whom they profess to be friendly than to the other side. These are the men who defeated Mr. Riley. They are not Republicans. The Republican Party of Woburn did all that lay in their power to elect him, but the guerrillas caused his defeat. Republicans are always true to their candidates; bushwhackers are true only to themselves. No, Mr. Chronicle, there were no desertions of Republicans from Mr. Riley, or Mr. Wood, or the Republican ticket; it was the "Independents," some from sheer revenge, to retaliate for former defeats, others to help themselves, or hoping to do so, none of them actuated by pure motives, who defeated the Republican candidate for Representative. True Republicans never desert their colors.

A careful canvass has demonstrated clearly to our mind that the Republican Party in this city are not in a mood to be dictated by the Municipal League in the matter of a Mayoralty nomination. While, with care exceptions, Mr. Blodgett would be entirely acceptable to them, they will not tamely submit to the bulldozing process that has heretofore prevailed and allow him to be crowded down their throats. For the last three years the League have not acted honorably by the Republican Party. After nominating one of their own members for the office of Mayor, they have invariably, without a shadow of right, come into the Republican convention and compelled, by superior numbers, an endorsement of their choice. Such action was ungentlemanly in the extreme and contrary to the rules of fair play. Some of the more honorable members of the League felt and admitted that such a course was wrong and unjust, and yet, as a body, they voted without legal authority, to compel the Republicans to play second fiddle to their organization. If such methods are persisted in this year and the Republican convention forced by League votes to endorse Mr. Blodgett's candidacy, individual Republicans will thereby be released from Party obligations and at liberty to vote for whom they please. This would probably result in the election of a Democrat as Mr. Davis's successor.

Good work in the past has made Alderman J. R. Wood's "calling and election sure" for another term, as Aldermen-at-Large, in the City Council. He has been one of the most useful members of the Board. Except in a few minor matters he has always been found on the right side of every question affecting public interests, and to him belongs the credit of bringing about some needed reforms in the administration of municipal affairs. The Republicans know that Ald. Wood is the best kind of a candidate to vote for.

The member of the Board of Public Works whose term expires this year is Mr. George E. Fowle, Commissioner of Public Buildings and Grounds, and could the city do any better than elect him, if he would consent to it? He is an efficient public officer, one to whom the people have confidence, and is in no respect self-seeking.

Mr. John R. Carter would make a good business Mayor. A man who conducts his private affairs successfully is apt to carry on public business in a satisfactory manner, and Mr. Carter is of that stamp. He might be induced to yield to a general call for his candidacy.

The great Democratic fight for the empty honor of a Mayoralty nomination is scheduled for Monday evening, Nov. 18. There are at least three prominent candidates in the field, Feeney, Reade and Munyan, and still there's more to follow. It is bound to be a rare entertainment.

Considering the amount of work he has to do during the year, not a few people think a high price is paid for the services of the Superintendent of Buildings and Wires. It might be well to consider the matter more carefully than heretofore.

The Citizens Municipal League will hold a meeting at 8 o'clock to-morrow evening at 435 Main st., Nov. 16, to nominate candidates for Mayor and other city officers.

The General Court of Massachusetts is now holding an extra session, the first in 20 years. The business is to act on the report of the Committee appointed to revise the statutes of the State, and to allow disappointed members to take a last lingering look at familiar scenes and drop a silent tear on seats they will never occupy again.

Hon. E. E. Thompson, candidate for Associate County Commissioner, came out of the election with flying colors. His vote in this city was 966, while Gov. Grane's was only 950. Mr. Thompson ought to be satisfied with his home popularity.

By giving the Crane vote of Middlesex as 114 instead of 14, the true figure, the News makes Senator Wood's majority too small by 100 votes.

We thank Representative Roberts for a map of the new Congressional Districts of this State.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.
Trinity Church—Sund. Com. of Mass.—Order, Naphthol—S. N. P. L. J. Swan—Wall Paper, Mrs. Converse—For Sale, A. F. Converse—Citation, A. F. Converse—Citation.

Nov. 15, 8 A. M. Wind S. E.; clear; temp. 45.

Read Frank A. Locke the tuner's ads. They are interesting.

The Caltic Association will give their grand annual ball on Nov. 27.

The rain was very much needed and the earth greatly refreshed thereby.

Don't fail to see the attraction at Lyceum Hall, Tuesday evening Nov. 19.

Mr. Druggist Brooks is making improvements on the interior of his store.

Treasurer Jones of the Savings Bank has been on the sick list this week.

Another firm of snow on Wednesday evening and Thursday. Harboring of winter.

Editor Barrett of The Banner of Light, Boston, talks of giving a lecture here soon.

"And spices yield their rich perfume" for Thanksgiving at Willis Buckman's.

Miss Mary Louise Newhall of Fairfield, Maine, visited friends in this city yesterday.

The Woburn Workers had bad weather for their entertainment last Tuesday evening.

Professor Gowing, the successful Magnetic Doctor, has many patients here and hereabouts.

Mrs. W. H. Cummings offers for sale at a fair price a good safe and business desk. See ad.

It would seem as if the pin cones he should stop a moment and cast a glance at Whittier's store windows.

Four closed cars for the Boston & Lowell Street Railway have arrived and no doubt will soon be in operation.

Sam Lee is the best washer, starcher and ironer in this city.

On account of the heavy rain Supt. Emerson rang in the "No School" signal last Tuesday morning.

A slight blizzard in the rear of the First National Bank Saturday night was extinguished by the policemen.

W. R. C. No. 161, will give a Whist Party Wednesday, Nov. 20, from 8 to 10 o'clock. Admission 10 cents.

On Nov. 21, 22, in Allen's Block, the Kings Daughters will hold a rummage Sale. Contributions thankfully received.

Woburn Relief Corps 161 will give a Whist Party Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 19, from 2 to 4 o'clock. Admission 10 cents.

It looks very much as though Lawyer John P. Feeney is to be the Democratic candidate for Mayor. He is a tough proposition to back against.

Steamship tickets to or from Europe on all the lines; railroad tickets south or west; for sale by Charles R. Rosenquist, 36 Green st., Woburn-52w.

The Fall rally of the Middlesex Central Union of the Y. P. S. C. E. will be held Wednesday, Nov. 20, at the Pleasant st. Congregational church, Arlington.

Next Thursday evening, Nov. 21, the ladies of Trinity Church will provide a supper and hold a sale in Odd Fellows Hall, which will deserve a liberal patronage.

The W. C. T. U. held a meeting at the home of their President, Mrs. Thompson, on Salem street last Tuesday afternoon. The rain prevented a large attendance.

Mr. Grothe sent a big new snowplow to the Walnut Traction Company last Wednesday. He does a large business in the manufacture of street railroad snowplows.

Vesper services will be resumed at the Unitarian church one week from next Sunday evening at 5 o'clock, Nov. 24. The soloist for that service is to be Miss Lucie Tucker.

The 100th birthday of Samuel G. Howe, founder of the Perkins Institute for the blind, was celebrated in Tremont Temple last Monday. Several Woburn people attended.

Last Monday furnished this section of country with a touch of winter weather, without snow, to be sure, but with the thermometers well down towards the freezing point.

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It always pays to read carefully the newspaper notice of Mr. Josiah Leathe. Because by so doing one may learn where the best men's, women's and children's shoes, and rubber goods, can be bought at the lowest prices.

We hear of nobody who wants to be a candidate for the School Board, but that doesn't signify that there will be none. Three new members are to be elected, the terms of that number expiring with the close of the year.

We call attention to the advertisement of Thomas F. Swan, No. 12 Cornhill street, Boston, in this paper, and take occasion to recommend his house as one of the best at the Hub. It is old and reliable, and our people will do well to patronize it.

Nov. 12 was Towanda Club's Gentlemen's Night. Congressman Samuel W. McCall of Winchester addressed the Club and their guests in a happy and entertaining manner. He is one of the best after-dinner orators in this part of Massachusetts.

The first lecture of the Barbours Free Lecture Fund will be given on Dec. 3 to Class B. The winter's course is to be divided into two classes A and B, information concerning which, and all particulars, will be given in next week's JOURNAL.

The "loop" question is in the hands of the Railroad Committee of the City Council, who will investigate and report on the remonstrance of A. W. Whittier and others in due season. The action of the Council may, or may not, be the end of the matter.

The JOURNAL did not mean that Mayor Davis literally stripped to the skin in behalf of Mr. Riley's election, as some practical minded men interpreted the words, but that he did some electioneering for Mr. Riley and did all he properly could to elect him.

The horserace on the Lexington course last Saturday was a great sporting event. It was said to be the windup of the season. Good time was made by most of the horses and some of them showed great speed. The races were managed by competent men.

Last Sunday was emphatically a windy day. It was the most disagreeable of the season. Dust and dead leaves filled the air. It was a day well calculated to give people the blues, to cause them to absent themselves from houses of worship, to hover around the stove.

Captain John P. Crane has the handsomest span of horses in this city. They are beauties; stone gray, as like as two peas in a pod, stylish of carriage, and proud steppers. It is quite evident that Captain Crane did not spend all his money for election purposes.

Miss Maud H. Littlefield is doing business this fall. She is everywhere acknowledged to be the best teacher of the violin in Middlesex county. To be skilled in playing the violin is a fine accomplishment for a young lady, or gentleman, either, and this skill can be acquired by becoming a pupil of Miss Littlefield.

About as sensible a piece as we have been privileged to peruse of late years was the one entitled "Some Wants, Dictated by a man on the Inside," in last Monday's Daily Times. With a few exceptions the "Wants" were practical, and it they could be supplied and lived up to this town would be much better off than it is now.

Messrs. Moore & Parker, book sellers and newsdealers, 375 Main street, have kindly sent us a copy of the "Old Farmers Almanac" for 1902, being No. 110 of that honorable and useful publication. They have a stock of them on hand, besides all other kinds of goods, wares and merchandise in their line. We thank them for the old F. A.

F. W. Greendon is building a house for D. W. Bond in North Woburn and when finished will be the finest house in that part of the city. G. E. Fowle will build a house for parties on Frances street, the cellar for the same is now being built.

Between 8 and 9 o'clock yesterday morning Mr. Albert Gleason, 82 years old, while walking on Arlington Road to the Common, fell in a fit in front of the residence of Mr. John Johnson. The police found the old gentleman unconscious and took him to his home on Sturgis street. Dr. Chalmers was called.

Dec. 15, will be Rev. Dr. Sander's last Sabbath with the Woburn Congregational church. On Jan. 11, he and Mrs. Sander will leave San Francisco for Japan, stopping over in Honolulu one steamer and sail from there Jan. 28. At the expiration of a year's stay in Japan, devoted to brushing up their knowledge of the language and learning other things, they are to return to Honolulu, which is to be their future home.

Yesterday morning Mr. Joseph Field received by express a photograph of the famous Salem Zouaves, of which he was a member, taken in front of the New York City Hall on their arrival there with the Old Frigate Constitution. They (the 8th Reg.) followed the 6th through Baltimore, and arriving at Annapolis by water the Zouaves were put on board of "Old Ironsides" whose destruction was threatened by the Rebels, to protect and take her to New York, and now he remembered that the Salem Zouaves saved the life of that glorious old Man-of-War, the pride of America. We shall say more about Mr. Field's picture soon.

The Woman's Foreign Mission Circles of the Boston East Association held an all-day basket meeting in the Baptist Church, Wednesday. A large number of ladies from the adjoining towns were present. At the morning session reports from the various circles were given, papers read and plans discussed for the year's work. The afternoon session was very interesting. Among the speakers were Miss Johnson from the Hazeltine House, and Mrs. Safford, who held the closest attention of the audience during her recital of her experiences on her recent tour in the foreign field. Miss Maud Littlefield played most exquisitely a violin solo in the afternoon.

The temperance cause in this city has no more faithful and efficient helpers than the St. Charles Catholic Total Abstinence Society and their Auxiliary. They are composed of sterling young men and earnest young women who have espoused the cause of temperance and labor for its success from principle. They are among the best of our local organizations for reform work, a prodigious No License agency, and deserve public encouragement and support.

The grand minstrel show given by the Ladies Auxiliary of the St. Charles Catholic Total Abstinence Society, Wednesday evening, was the capital. They understood the art of minstrelsy to a dot. They are as bright as new pins, and bubbling over with fun. It was a fine entertainment. Sarah Hammond was Interlocutor; Nellie Ryan, Alice Murray, bones; Minnie Murphy, Mary Feeney, tambos. Calnan's Orchestra furnished music. The Auditorium was filled to its utmost capacity. Everything was prime.

The JOURNAL indorses the suggestion of a writer in last week's issue concerning the location of the proposed High School building. It should, by all means, be central, and for reasons given by the writer. An ideal spot for it would be the Dr. Chalmers, Eager and Public Library property on Pleasant street. It would furnish a sufficient amount of land for the building, be central, and built to conform to the Public Library in style of architecture, and be an ornament to the city. Is this idea worthy of consideration?

One of these days this city will be obliged to build a City Hall. Were it rich enough it should have one now. We can hardly "point with pride" to the present old building. In view of future needs, it has suggested that it would be a pious plan for the city to buy the old Wood homestead on Pleasant street now owned by the Joshua Littlefield heirs, and occupied by Mr. Charles H. Taylor and family. It is, by all odds, the best site for a City Hall within the confines of Woburn, and could probably be bought. It would pay to purchase it now and hold it against the time when a new City Hall must be built.

Winter cars for the Burlington electric road were ordered by the Lowell & Boston Company on Sept. 15 last, so Mr. Frank E. Colman, a Director, informs us, and still they fail to put in an appearance. This delay is exceedingly annoying to the Company who are anxious to serve the public in the best possible manner. It is also an injury to the business of the road and bad for its patrons. The large St. Louis concern that are building the cars were greatly delayed by the steel strike in Pennsylvania and Illinois, and are not yet able to procure material with which to carry on business as promptly as their orders demand.

The annual concert of the First Congregational Parish given last Friday evening was favored with a large audience, and the audience with a fine musical treat. The work of Mr. M. W. Sellers, the reader, was particularly good, and gave great satisfaction. He is a master of the art. Mr. Taylor, the tenor, brought down the house with his splendid singing, and Miss Treacian, the soprano, was at her best, which is saying that she was unexcelled. About every number was followed by a return demanded by the highly delighted audience, a compliment richly deserved. The Parish has never given a better concert, or one more thoroughly appreciated.

Apologies of the Pastor's contemplated departure for Japan there will be a unique service in the First Church Sunday evening, Nov. 24. Rev. Geo. Allechin of that country, the foreigner who enjoys the double distinction of having gone to the theatre more times than any other and of having addressed more Japanese, will give his famous reading of "The Prodigal Sun." The stereotyped illustrations used in this address were made by Japanese from

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A pretty home wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pink, 474 Central street, Cliftonville, Mass., Nov. 6, when LEON RALSTON VAUGHN of Woburn was united in marriage to Miss Lois LOU HAYES, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pink. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Jesse S. Dauncey. Miss Carrie Nelson played the wedding march. The bride, the former acting as flower girl, and the latter as ring bearer. The house was prettily decorated with potted plants and ferns, and guests were present from Boston, Brookline, Woburn, Haverhill, Somerville, Melrose, Salem and Newton.

A collation was served. The presents were many and costly. Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn will reside at Woburn.

No cards.

Hoscock-Nay.

The home of Mrs. Curtis Greenwood, 5 Fairmount street, was the scene of a most wedding Wednesday evening, Nov. 7, at six o'clock, when Mrs. ALLIE L. NAY of Peterboro, N. H. was united in marriage to Mr. OSCAR B. HOSCOCK of West Hallow, Vt.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. B. Crane, D. D. of the First Baptist church. Only a few friends were present. Lunch was served immediately after the ceremony.

Mrs. Nay has been staying with Mrs. Greenwood since last spring. The couple left next morning for Vermont but will be at home to their friends after Jan. 1, 1902, at River street, North Adams, Mass.

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Lyceum Hall Woburn.

The attraction that Manager Hammond has engaged for Tuesday night Nov. 19, is the Cosmopolitan Comedians, band and orchestra. This Company of 25 people is composed of the best vaudeville artists in the profession, every thing clean and refined. A Street Parade will be made at noon. The prices are 25, 35 and 50 cents. Tickets on sale at Huntley's drug store.

Y. M. C. A.

The address of Rev. F. Bonner and the singing of W. F. Cutler were greatly enjoyed by a good number who attended the 4 o'clock service on last Sunday.

Next Sunday Rev. E. F. Barlingham will address the meeting and his choir will sing and have charge of the praise service.

The Woman's Auxiliary are to hold a special Business Meeting on Friday afternoon of the week at 3 o'clock. All members are requested to be present as very important business is to be transacted.

Great Luck of An Editor.

"For two years all efforts to cure Eczema in the palms of my hands failed," writes Editor H. N. Lester, of Syracuse, Kan., "then I was wholly cured by Bucklen's Arnica Salve." It's the world's best for Eruptions, Sores and all skin diseases. Only 25c at Huntley & Co's.

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REPUBLICAN CAUCUSES!

The Republican Voters of Woburn are requested to meet in the polling places in their respective Wards, as designated below, on

TUESDAY, November 19, 1901,
At 8 o'clock, P. M.

To nominate one candidate for Alderman from each Ward, to choose delegates to a Convention, to be held Saturday, November 23d, at 4 45 P. M., in Republican Headquarters, to nominate a candidate for Mayor, eight candidates for Aldermen-at-Large, one candidate for each of the Boards of Public Works for the term of four years, and three candidates for the School Committee for the term of three years, and to transact any other business which may properly come before the meeting.

polling places have been selected as follows:—
Ward 1. Cooperative Bank Room, Dow's Block.
Ward 2. Armory, corner Main and Avenue and Prospect streets.
Ward 3. Mechanics Hall, Mechanics Building, 415 Main street.
Ward 4. Republican Headquarters, 381 Main St.
Ward 5. How House, North Woburn.
Ward 6. How House, North Woburn.
Ward 7. How House, Commingleville.

The representation from the several Wards will be: Ward 1, 7 delegates; Ward 2, 10 delegates; Ward 3, 4 delegates; Ward 4, 9 delegates; Ward 5, 3 delegates; Ward 6, 8 delegates; Ward 7, 2 delegates.

The Caucuses will be called to order by the Chairman of the Ward Committees, and will be conducted under the Revised Law of Massachusetts.

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The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, NOV. 29, 1901.

THE REPUBLICAN TICKET.

Possibly there may be found here and there a Republican who objects to the ticket nominated at the Republican convention last Saturday. It would be strange if such were not the case. It is out of the question to please everybody. Some dissatisfied ones are always and everywhere to be found. Not all soldiers approve of the General's plan of campaign, but if true and loyal, they shoulder their muskets, fall in and fight. Just so we expect to see the critics act on Dec. 10.

For many months past it has been good as settled by the Republican Party that their candidate to succeed Mayor Davis was to be Mr. William E. Blodgett. If the Municipal League had had the good sense and grace to hold off until after the Republican convention they would have had no occasion to make a nomination, because Mr. Blodgett would have been unanimously chosen by the delegates representing the Party. That was decided on long ago, not formally, but in a manner that admitted of no other choice. The ability with which he has discharged his duties as a member of the City Council, his position as President of that body, his character and large personal following, clearly point to him as the Republican candidate for Mayor and rendered his nomination certain. The few objections heard before the convention were not to Mr. Blodgett but to the conduct of the Municipal League, which is wholly controlled by less than a dozen of irresponsible political adventurers. It should be realized that Mr. Blodgett has been deliberately chosen by the Republican Party, and is their candidate for Mayor.

The candidates for Aldermen-at-Large are representative members of society, men of stability of character and influential in the Republican ranks. Four of them, DeLoria, Wood, Winn and Brackett, are on the Board this year, where each one of them has a good record to his credit. They are men of affairs and have a proper conception of how public business should be conducted. As taxpayers they may be trusted to safely guard the interests of the city.

Mr. Frank W. Greydon, the Republican candidate for the Board of Public Works, is a prominent carpenter and builder, and has the reputation of being an intelligent and upright man. Everyone says he will fill the bill to perfection.

Bean, Bixby and Chalmers, present members, are the Republican nominees for places on the School Committee. They need no commendation of good character, or certification from any source, for their work for our schools in the past covers the case and entitles them to a reelection, which, it is safe to say, they will be rewarded with. They are educated, well versed in school matters, and the Republicans better not have nominated three better men than Bean, Bixby and Chalmers. It was proper that they should succeed themselves.

This ticket, individually and collectively, is above reproach. If among all the names there is a poor stick we do not know which one it is. Every man on it is capable and upright, and more than one prominent citizen has said to the JOURNAL that it is the best ticket ever nominated.

Now the Republicans must go to work and elect their candidates.

THE DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES.

Taken as a whole the Democratic ticket for city officers is not what might be called an ideal one. The convention, it would seem, did not select their best men, barring a few instances, for the important places to be filled. Considering the composition of the ruling powers in the local Democratic Party, the ticket may possibly be a vote winner, but for the administration of public affairs it falls far below what it should and might have been.

Mr. Feeney is unquestionably the best and strongest man in the Party that could have been nominated and will poll very nearly the whole strength of the organization. But he is sorely handicapped by the bad selections made for nearly all the other positions, to overcome which will require the shrewdest and most active campaigning.

Leaving Mr. Feeney and two or three others out of the summary, and it cannot but be conceded even by their supporters that the Democratic ticket is much below par in the qualities which are necessary to make good, efficient public officers.

SCHOOL BOARD.

Three worthy gentlemen for the School Committee than Hon. George F. Bean, Dr. Robert Chalmers and Dr. Josiah P. Bixby could not have been nominated by the Republican convention last Saturday. They are at present members of the schools, excellent service during their terms in the past. It hardly seems possible that there is any danger of their defeat at the polls next month.

Alderman D. Wilbur Brown is a popular citizen. For some reason or other he was not included in the Aldermanic game at Republican Headquarters last Saturday, but that did not faze his friends the least little bit. The declaration of Mr. Frank M. Pushee to accept the nomination given him for Alderman-at-Large left a vacancy on the ticket which the committee filled by electing Mr. Brown. Then the Municipal League nominated him; and now, they say, the Democrats are after him to fill a vacancy on their ticket.

A report was current last Tuesday that Mr. Arthur B. Wyman would decline the nomination for Alderman-at-Large given him by the Republicans at last Saturday, but it was not true. He has informed the JOURNAL that the nomination has been accepted by him and that he will make a run for the office. Mr. Wyman is one of the best candidates on the ticket, and the JOURNAL is especially pleased that the rumors of his declination were without foundation. He ought by all means to be elected.

The Woburn JOURNAL is true blue in politics.—Winchester Star. That's exactly what it is every day in the week, Sunday's excepted.

Sorry that Mr. Frank M. Pushee declined to run for Alderman-at-Large. He oughtn't to have done it.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

J. W. Shaw—To Let. Utterian Parish—Con. of Sale.

It was an out-and-out Republican convention.

Pianos, Pianos. See Frank A. Locke's talk.

City election Dec. 10.

The Unitarian Fair is to be held on Dec. 5, 6.

The National Band Association had a dance yesterday.

Usters were in brisk demand last Wednesday morning.

There were no disappointed ones at the Republican convention.

Lawyer Riley presided with dignity and impartiality at the convention.

The Phalanx held a shooting match at Brookside Range yesterday.

John R. Carter & Co have made additions to their extensive coal sheds.

Mr. Frank M. Bartlett and Mabel Blackburn are engaged to be married.

The schools have a vacation during Christmas week, beginning on Dec. 24.

Mr. George H. Foster named Mr. Frank M. Pushee for Alderman-at-Large.

Our thanks are returned to Mr. Marcus H. Cotton for contributions to the JOURNAL this week.

The shortage on mince pies Thanksgiving Day was due to apples being 50 cents a peck.

Having secured the unanimous nomination of Mr. Blodgett for Mayor, Ald. Wood is presumably happy.

Turkeys were never finer, fatter, cheaper or more plenty in this city than they have been since last Monday.

Everybody had a chance to "eat his peck of dirt" on our streets last Wednesday. The dust was mortal.

The dwellinghouse which Mr. John W. Shaw advertises for rent is one of the most desirable in this city.

Huntley says vaccination is all the go, and he is all ready to furnish supplies needed in that interesting process.

According to an article we published from The Outlook Rev. Dr. Doremus is of the 5th generation of Scudder M.D.s.

Mr. Eliah F. Hayward went on a visit to New Hampshire last Wednesday. He will return about next Tuesday.

Mr. Mark C. Felch is the only bright spot and single redeeming feature of the Democratic ticket for Aldermen-at-Large.

Moore & Parker have been giving their news and periodical store a thorough cleaning and painting for the holidays.

The wind on Sunday did but little damage here. The Carswell block next to Lyceum Hall suffered some but not seriously.

Will the Lexington Company build the Cummingsville street railroad or not? That's the question before the meetinghouse.

We reproduce from The Outlook an article concerning Rev. Dr. Scudder and his mission which, we think, is appreciated by our readers.

If the Democrats should happen to elect Lawyer Arthur E. Gage to the School Board it wouldn't be a case calling for sackcloth and ashes.

Although Any Crovo sold heaps of fruit and nuts for Thanksgiving dinners he has a plenty of the very best left for everyday consumption.

According to all accounts "A Finished Coquette," to be given at the Unitarian church on Dec. 6, is a button-buster. Note the talent in the cast.

Main street has been macadamized from Richardson street to Green street in fine shape. The Winchester steam roller took a hand in the business.

The intense activity of Brother Eia in the present campaign is accounted for by the fact that he expects an appointment on the Board of Assessors.

You remember the female play given by the Cadets in Boston. Well, "A Finished Coquette" at the Unitarian church ventry on Dec. 6, will beat it 2 to 1.

Up to date little or no enthusiasm has been in evidence for the candidates in either party. Unless there is an awakening soon it will be a dull campaign.

Mr. Wallace T. Conn, one of the likeliest young men of this city, goes to the West Indies as manager of a sulphur mine. He is clear headed and capable.

Don't be alarmed, gentlemen. Mr. Blodgett's portrait in the Boston papers won't prevent his election. Of course it was a bad one, but that wasn't his fault.

The Ladies of St. John's Baptist Church are to hold a Fair on Dec. 13 and 14. As the aim is to raise money for church purposes it should be liberally patronized.

It stands everyone in hand to get vaccinated right away. Smallpox is a scourge to be dreaded, and also, "an ounce of preventative is worth more than a pound of cure."

The Boston Herald has sent Mr. Thomas J. Feeney, one of their reporters and special writers, to Nova Scotia to study and report on gold mining operations down there.

The job wagons ought to have a regular stand somewhere in the city. The people find it inconvenient and annoying to be obliged to go all over the lot to get them when wanted.

Thanksgiving offerings for the benefit of the poor people in our city were taken up in the churches last Sunday with substantial results. In no other way can a genuine Christian spirit be more graciously manifested than by remembering and helping the poor.

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Mr. "Larry" Martin feels very certain that Feeney will win with votes to spare.

The Unitarian vestry will be opened on Dec. 6, for tickets to the entertainment, at 7.45 p. m.

"A long pull, a strong pull, and a pull altogether" and one side or the other will win the day, Dec. 10.

The Republicans are thoroughly organized for the campaign, which means victory for their candidates.

Doors open at the Unitarian church, Dec. 6, second night, for continuation of sale, at 6.30 o'clock. Remember this.

Fraser, the accomplished golf Fiend and Mrs. Filbert's eligible Niece in "A Finished Coquette," is a whole play all alone by himself.

Harry Dimick, as a German Baron in "A Finished Coquette," Unitarian vestry, Dec. 6, will certainly bring down the house.

The Republican Ward and City Committee, Herbert S. Riley, Esq., Chairman, have stripped to the waist of electing Mr. Blodgett and the whole Republican ticket.

Whichever "cat" photographs are worth taking a good long look at. Cats of all kinds are portrayed, no two of which are alike, and taken with skill. They please the youngsters wonderfully.

The Womans Relief Corps, 161, will have and old fashioned dance this evening, at which "Money Musk," "Beaux of Oak Hill," and perhaps a "Virginia Reel," will play conspicuous parts.

A good many people were disappointed at the failure of the convention to nominate Mr. George E. Fowle for reelection. He is square edged and has made a faithful member of the Board of Public Works.

To go into the Woburn Clothing Company's store and find Mr. Abijah Thompson selling goods seems like old times and very cheerful. He is mighty handy at the business and can sell as many bills as the best of them.

A glance over the list will disclose the fact that Court End has been greatly favored by candidates by the several nominating bodies. Blodgett, Murdoch, Beggs, Greydon, Felch, Wyman and we don't know how many more.

Fred Rogers, Edward Callahan, G. F. Hartshorn, John A. Brauer, Mrs. Carrie Lord, Mrs. C. M. Strout, and Miss Sylvester, furnished music and entertainment for the Everett Pine Tree Club on Thursday evening, Nov. 21.

The school children are enjoying their brief Thanksgiving vacation very much. It included the last three days of the week. On Monday they will resume their studies with a sharper relish for the short respite given them.

The JOURNAL folks had to go a day this week to enable them to go joy Thanksgiving in the bosoms of their families. Such oft recurring necessities greatly interfere with the business arrangements of the establishment, but they've got to come.

We hereby extend our thanks to Senator A. S. Wood for the gift of valuable public documents from the offices of Secretary of State and State Auditor. The one entitled "Number of Assessed Polls," etc., in the State in 1900 is a particularly handy book to have.

Last Saturday Arthur C. Ellis and Ernest M. Ellis, sons of Captain Jacob M. Ellis of Salem street, went to Passaconaway, about 15 miles from Conway, N. H., on a hunting expedition, from which they are expected to return in a few days. They went in pursuit of big game, moose, deer, etc., and may bring back a carload of them.

The Burben Free Lecture Course, or the Trustees, have got everything shipshape for a fine series of literary entertainments this winter. It will be well to consult carefully their advertisement in this paper. The first lecture will be given to class B on Dec. 3, by Roberts Harper whose subject is announced as "From Hudson to Thames," the same to be splendidly illustrated.

Our people have had experience with Mr. Harper and know him to be one of the most entertaining and instructive men on the lecture platform. His theme is an interesting one, and we suspect the Auditorium will be filled with people eager to hear it discussed.

It was currently reported that the Lowell & Boston street cars were to begin running on the Harrison avenue and Wins street track last week, but the report had any grounds to rest on something may have happened to throw the Company's plans out of gear, for the cars failed to put in an appearance.

Mr. Greydon, candidate for Board of Public Works, came here when a boy, learned the carpenter's trade of the late Mr. George W. Kimball, and finished constructing the Methodist church for his first job as a master builder. He is a man of property and probity, and enjoys the respect of the community.

A Fair and Dramatics are a happy combination. A genius must have inspired it. But that is what the Unitarians are going to have in the vestry of the church on Dec. 5, 6. An admirably arranged bill of fare, published in the JOURNAL, gives all the particulars, for which reason we earnestly commend its careful perusal.

Michael Joe Mathews who, since graduating from the mechanical department of the JOURNAL establishment, has been engaged in numerous occupations, the last at the Charlestown Navy Yard, has been appointed a member of the Boston Police force. We hope Joe has hit it this time. He is a good steady young man.

Real estate dealers inform us that more families have moved into and taken up their residences in this city since May 1, 1901, than in the whole 5 years immediately preceding that date. Good houses for rent are far from plenty, a condition of things that has not existed here for a long time. Isn't this a straw indicating the benefits of No License?

Last year the majority against license was 351, and we don't believe it lies in the power of the rum party to overcome those figures this year. Indeed, unless all signs fail, the majority of 351 will be considerably increased on Dec. 10. Many good strong men are putting in blows from the shoulder for "No License," and everything points to a big victory for it.

Mr. James M. Kimball, an expert, says the present is the proper time to destroy nests of the Brown-tail Moth and prevent their spread next season. Fruit and ornamental trees being now entirely denuded of their foliage the nests are plainly discernable attached to the branches and can be easily and thoroughly removed and destroyed. Little bunches of dead leaves show where the nests are, and wise owners of trees will lose no time in making an end of them.

Nov. 29, 7 A. M., clear, temp. 8 above.

Rev. Dr. Scudder's Boys Class gave him a reception and banquet Nov. 22.

Rev. Dr. Scudder is selling off his household goods at the home on Warren Ave.

Dr. Irving R. Bancroft of this city has charge of the smallpox hospital in Boston.

It was only 14 above zero at the Church Ave. Weather Bureau yesterday morning.

Thanksgiving Day passed off in this city much as usual. The weather was clear and cold.

Woburn Relief Corps 161 will give a whist party Dec. 3, at 2 o'clock. Admission 10 cents.

The Men's Club will hold a Ladies Night and reception to Dr. and Mrs. Scudder, Dec. 9.

Miss Greta Masson, soprano, of Boston, will be the soloist at the Unitarian church next Sunday.

Miss Edna Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johnson of Warren Ave., is at home for the Thanksgiving season.

The Alpine Quartet sang at the funeral of Mrs. Cyrus Cummings last Monday, and will sing at the funeral of Mrs. Riley this afternoon.

Steamship tickets to or from Europe on all the lines; railroad tickets south or west; for sale by Charles R. Rosenquist, 36 Green St., Woburn-52w

Our esteemed friend, Hon. John M. Harlow, was 82 years old last Monday, but nobody would take him to be a day over 72. He is one of the smartest and most active of Woburn's elderly people, as he is one of the most highly respected. Barring accidents the Doctor is good for several years more of useful life, and everybody hopes he will have and enjoy them to the utmost.

He has hosts of friends in this city who were glad that the end of his 82 years found him in good health and spirit.

Mrs. Lydia Choate passed her 85th birthday quietly and comfortably here at home on Warren Avenue with her good niece and companion, Miss Ellen M. Dow, on Sunday, Nov. 17, 1901. She is one of the most estimable ladies in this city, kind to the poor, and respected by everybody. She has been a resident of Woburn many years and is the widow of the late Charles Choate, a prominent and wealthy citizen, and a gentleman greatly esteemed by the community. May Mrs. Choate live long and be happy.

The Doctors started in last Tuesday to vaccinate the children in our schools in obedience to a mandate recently issued by the Board of Health. Nearly every Doctor in town was engaged by the Board to do the work, which costs parents and guardians nothing, the city furnishing the vaccine matter and professional service free. Some parents prefer to have the vaccination done on their own account, to which the Board are agreeable. But it should be seen to that all receive the treatment and submit to some arms.

Mr. David Wilbur Brown got out nomination papers for Alderman-at-Large immediately after the close of the Republican convention which, for some unaccountable reason, or no reason at all, failed to nominate him. According to the story of the Ward Committee, Mr. Brown was accountable for the action of the convention, claiming that he gave no sign of wanting another term and said nothing from him they took it for granted that he was not in the field, else he would have been nominated. He is now O.K.

Last Monday Captain J. M. Ellis, the well known contractor and employer of many workmen, brought 33 turkeys for Thanksgiving presents to his employees. They were fine ones, weighing from 10 pounds up, of which each man and wife, some single ones, and a few old house servants, received one. It has been the practice of Captain Ellis for years to remember his workmen in this generous way on Thanksgiving Day, and the giver enjoys it fully as much as the receivers. As the Captain's purveyor and almoner, Mr. E. F. Hayward, saw to it that the fine fat Northern turkeys were properly and promptly delivered.

The Social Workers of Montvale will hold a sale and give an entertainment in the chapel at 7.30 Thursday evening, Dec. 5, to which everybody is cordially invited. At the sale there will be tables of home cooking, preserves, etc. The entertainment will consist of "The Family Album" which was given at the Methodist church not long ago with marked success. Mrs. Grey, who officiated on that occasion, will do the same at the Montvale entertainment on Dec. 5. It is pronounced a fine thing, and the Methodist people were delighted with it. As the money raised will be devoted to missionary purposes the managers hope to see present a large company of people from the Centre. Tickets 15 cents.

There was a great tumble in temperature last Tuesday night, although it might have been worse. When people went to bed at 9 o'clock the most of them predicted pretty close to zero weather on Wednesday morning, but their fears were not fully confirmed by the thermometers, which showed, at 7 A. M. Nov. 27, a temperature of 22 above. The fall of mercury was 10 degrees, in all conscience, but 10 degrees instead of 22 would have been harder to take. A strong N. W. wind intensified the cold, or made it more piercing, so that, on the whole, the morning of Nov. 27 came fully as close to genuine winter weather as anybody cared to experience. Weather cranks might as well make a note of this in their memorandum books.

In less than a month, to wit, on Dec. 25, the merry days of Christmas will put in an appearance. In is doubtless true that preparations are already on foot for the celebration of the blessed season of "Peace on Earth, good will to Men," and that good old Santa Claus is working night and day on beautiful things to make glad the hearts of the little ones. Of all others in the year Christmas is the day of "good will," therefore, kind thoughts for others, gifts, and happy meetings and greetings.

Democratic Ticket.

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In the Mayoralty convention Mr. Feeney received 15 of the 17 votes.

Mr. Gilder in this month's Critic, says that the "only thing that unnerves President Roosevelt is literary composition." It might therefore be said that the pen is harder to live by than the sword.

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The pastor has recently received a call from the church in Everett. The salary offered is \$120 more per year than that received here.

The service of song next Sunday evening, 7 p. m. will consist of the following numbers:

Psalm IV.	Wenneberg
Trosten mitt folk.	Chr. Palmer
Psalm LXXVII.	Wenneberg
Address.	Pastor
Psalm LVII.	Wenneberg
Om dagen vill mitt arbete	Folk-song
N. E. Kron.	

All are most cordially invited!

Next Saturday evening there will be an auction sale of articles left over from the Fair. The nomination will be 10c; coffee will be served free.

The Largest School in Existence.

Mrs. S. T. Rorer's name has become a household word to its readers as Mrs. Rorer through her famous Cooking School in Philadelphia, and her equally famous contributions to the domestic literature of the times. The Ladies' Home Journal, which for some years has been the standard to its readers as Mrs. Rorer has talked to American women, has conceived a clever idea, incidentally, the same lesson to its readers as Mrs. Rorer gives to her pupils. In this way, when so much is said about pure foods and the value of correct methods of preparing them, the value of such a feature should be great.

Mr. Foxhall Keene will ride an automobile race from Paris to Vienna next June.

To the Public.

Allow me to say a few words in praise of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I had a very severe cough and cold and feared I could get pneumonia, but after taking the second dose of this medicine I felt better, three bottles of it cured my cold and the pains in my chest disappeared entirely. I am most respectfully yours for health, KARL S. MEYERS, 64-Thirty-seventh St., Wheeling, W. Va. For sale by all druggists.

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Tickets will be apportioned by lot among the applicants, and will not be issued to children under the age of 16 years.

Applicants under twenty years of age must state their age upon their application. No ticket is sent in the gallery and will be issued to such applicants.

Application for more than two tickets from any one person will not be received. No family will receive more than two tickets.

Seats will be held for season ticket holders until 7.30 o'clock each evening. After that hour vacant seats will be given without tickets to all adult citizens.

The course of the tenth season will consist of five lectures, in each course as follows:—

Course A.		Course B.	
Thursday, Dec. 19, 1901. Jacob A. Riis. Subject: "The Battle with the Slum."		Tuesday, Dec. 3, 1901. Robert H. Rogers. Subject: "From Hudson to Thames." Illustrated.	
Monday, January 6, 1902. Henry H. Rogers. Subject: "Scotland and Burns." Illustrated.		Tuesday, December 10, 1901. Henry H. Rogers. Subject: "Irish Wit and Humor." Illustrated.	
Monday, January 13, 1902. Minna Eliot Tenney. Subject: "A Summer in Norway." Illustrated.		Tuesday, January 7, 1902. Nat. M. Brigham. Subject: "The Grand Canyon of Arizona." Illustrated.	
Monday, February 10, 1902. Prof. W. M. R. French. Subject: "An Hour with the Caricaturist."		Tuesday, January 21, 1902. Minna Eliot Tenney. Subject: "The Grand Canyon of Arizona." Illustrated.	
Monday, February 24, 1902. Rev. Daniel March. Subject: "Sinner's Life in an Eastern City."		Tuesday, February 11, 1902. Prof. W. M. R. French. Subject: "The Wit and Wisdom of the Cynic."	

Both courses will be held in the AUDITORIUM. Doors open at 7.30. Lectures to begin at 8 P. M.

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A Patriotic Mission.

A missionary work, which in view of its hoped-for issues, seems of importance is about to be undertaken among the Japanese of Hawaii. Numbering over sixty-seven thousand, forty-three per cent, of the total population, and much more than twice as numerous as either the native Hawaiians or the Chinese, who constitute its next largest elements, they are a most important factor for good or evil in our island territory. To assimilate them to the spirit of our civilization is a task of peculiar difficulty, but one has been moved to undertake it when whom certainly none is better qualified than the Rev. Dr. Scudder, M.D., of Woburn, Mass. Dr. Scudder has had the advantage of a five years residence in Japan, where from 1884 to 1889 he was engaged in medical and evangelistic work before coming to a pastorate at home. Mrs. Scudder was also there for two years. Their six and a half years' work in the First Congregational Church of Woburn has been so marked by special activities both for the religious training of children and for municipal interests, that their removal is widely regretted. They sail for their new field of labor in the first week of January, but will first spend a year of special preparation for it in Japan. Dr. Scudder comes of good missionary and medical family. His father, Dr. Henry M. Scudder, founder of the Arctic mission of the American Board, served thirty years in the missionary field in India, his grandfather thirty-six years. Dr. John Scudder, the first medical missionary to Hawaii, was a devoted and successful physician, commemorated in a book just published, "Men of Might in India Mission." He himself is in the fifth generation of Scudders holding the degree of D. The important work he undertakes in Japan is under the auspices of the Hawaiian Evangelical Association, originally organized in 1823. Dr. Scudder undertakes a work in Japan which his countrymen who "do not believe in missions" can hardly avoid a patriotic wish for his success.—The Outlook.

Antiquarian Discovery.

From Coopersville, Mich., comes word of a wonderful discovery of a pleasant looking liquid that when used before retiring by any one troubled with a bad cough always ensures a good night's rest. "It will soon cure the cough," writes Mrs. S. H. Humberger, "for three years I have used it. My family have used Dr. King's New Discovery Consumption and never found its equal for Coughs and Colds." It is an unrivaled laxative when used for constipation and indigestion. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00 at Huntley & Co's. Trial bottles free.

The Birth of a Famous Hymn.

In the November issue of *The Ladies' Home Journal* Cleveland Moffett tells how the greatest of all singing evangelists, Ira D. Sankey, came to give the world a hymn that will live long after his voice is stilled. It was during Moody and Sankey's first visit to Great Britain. As they were entering the train in Glasgow, Mr. Sankey bought a copy of a penny religious paper called "The Christian Age." Looking over it, his eyes fell on some verses, the first two lines of which read thus:

"There were ninety and nine that safely lay
In the shelter of the fold."
"Mr. Moody," exclaimed Mr. Sankey, "I have found the hymn that I've been looking for for years."
"What is it?" asked Mr. Moody.
"It's about a shepherd and his flock."
Two days later, in Edinburgh, they held a great meeting in the Free Assembly Hall. As Dr. Sankey sang the hymn, Mr. Moody leaned over the pulpit and asked the singer if he had not a solo for the occasion. The thought of the hymn he had read in the penny paper came to Mr. Sankey's mind, and opening his scrapbook, in which he had pasted the clipping, he placed it before him on the organ, and after a moment's silent preparation, struck a full chord and began to sing. And note by note came the now famous song. He sang it with such heart and soul, that the hymn was the joy that swelled in his own soul, hope that was born, the love for those who needed help. Thus he finished the first stanza.

Then, as he paused and played a few chords waiting to begin again, the thought came to him to sing the second stanza as he did the first. "Did I remember the notes?" And concentrating his mind once more for the effort he began to sing. Seven went on through five stanzas and after the services he put the melody in his mind.

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The little daughter of Mr. J. N. Powell jumped on an inverted rake made of ten penny nails, and thrust one nail entirely through her foot and second toe, and even through. Chamberlain's Pain Balm was promptly applied and five minutes later the pain had disappeared and no more suffering was experienced. In three days the child was wearing her shoe as usual and with absolutely no discomfort. Mr. Powell is a well known merchant of Portland, Me. Pain Balm is an antiseptic and heals all injuries without maturation and in one-third the time required by the usual treatment. For sale by all druggists.

The Companionships of Christianity.

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Literary Notices.

Every American woman—and most of the men—will desire to possess a portrait of the White House baby. All babies are precious to every right-minded person; and the White House baby, alert, smiling and in his mother's lap, will win the hearts of all beholders at first glance. The picture, which is the frontispiece of the December number of the NATIONAL, is a handsome, full half tone engraving, suitable for framing. Persons who wish to obtain a copy of the magazine containing this picture should send ten cents in stamps to THE NATIONAL MAGAZINE, 41 West First Street, Boston, Mass.

THE AMERICAN BOY for November (Sprague Publishing Co., Detroit, Mich.) is an attractive number. The stories are: "The Bear Kidnappers of Crow Peak, A Double Rescue, Ned's Stratagem, and The Switch at Mud Run. Among the articles are: Working My Way Around the World, Fun and Profit in Trapping, True Americans, and The Old Put House. Under the department headings are: The American Boy's Club House; How to Make a Good Kite; Shadowgraphy; The Game of Commercial Traveler; Boys' Exchange; Reviews of Boys' Books; The Roosevelt Boys; Fruit Gardening for Boys; The Training of a Pug, and How to Make a Canoe for a Day. The following departments each occupy a page: Boys as Money Makers and Money Savers; Boys in Games and Sport; Boys in the Home; Boys in the Office; THE ORDER OF THE AMERICAN BOY; The Boy Stamp and Coin Collector; Boys and Animals; The Amateur Photographer; The Agassiz Association of Young Naturalists, and the Puzzle department. A valuable department entitled For Boys to Think About, occupies two pages and is filled with items of information—science, statistics, etc., of keen interest to everybody. What Boys Are Doing, occupies two pages made up of true stories about successful boys in various lines of endeavor, 80 illustrations. \$1.00 a year. Sprague Publishing Co., Detroit, Mich.

THE SMART SET for December contains forty-four signed articles, stories and poems, yet it is not so much for quantity as quality that the number is notable. The leading features are a novelette by Edward S. Van Zile, How Chopin Came to Remsen, which is fairly hilarious in its depiction of a prosaic lawyer who becomes suddenly seized with the spirit and genius of the immortal composer. The second contribution is a story in play form, The Castle-Builders the ear-marks must have been written by someone high in social position who is familiar with the characters and conditions of the recognizable personage so pitilessly dissected.

The Infanta Eulalia writes for the number a very interesting opinion of The American Girl. As a companion article, Mrs. M. E. W. Sherwood discusses L'Americaine as she is found abroad, particularly in Paris. Both articles are very interesting. One of the most brilliant of Edgar Saltus's series of essays in the *Forty-Sixers* is the, The Seventh Devil of Our Lady, which is characteristically and fascinating. Stories that must command attention are An Opal, by Justus Miles Forman; The Pathos of Being Good, by Kate Jordan; Lord Commarleigh's Secret, by Roy Horman; Art for Love's Sake, by Laura Cleveland Gaylord; The Problem Play, by Douglas Story; Extension Souls, by Guy Somers; and The Heart of the World, by Marvin Dana. Conspicuous poems are Scruple, by Julien Gordon; Pierrot in Autumn, by Miss Carmean; Hammar, by Clinton Scollard; The Loser, Theodosia Garrison; Sonnets to a Lover by Myrtle Reid, and Superstition by Madison Cawein.

Last winter an infant child of mine had a violent fever," says Edith John W. Rogers, a Christian Evangelist of Filley, Mo. "I gave her a few doses of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and in a short time all danger was past and the child recovered." This remedy not only cures cough, but when given as soon as the first symptoms appear, will prevent the attack. It contains no opium or other harmful substance and may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult. For sale by all druggists.

To Puzzle the Whole United States. To change an old and trite saying, and in its place coin one perhaps as applicable—the American people like to be puzzled, and they enjoy it the more when they are rewarded for their answers. The *Ladies' Home Journal* is a puzzle to both puzzle it and reward its readers in a clever way. Each month it is to present a page to be called "The Journal's Amazing Puzzle." This page will contain a certain number of small pictures, each one of which will represent the name of some well-known stage, flower, historical character, etc., and for correct solutions of these pictures substantial rewards will be given. Some of the cleverest artists in the country have been engaged to carry out this idea.

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The advocates of State ownership of railways should give thoughtful consideration to the fact that the French Government, which is serious financial straits at the best, is now called upon to furnish nearly \$10,000,000 to make good the difference between last year's railroad receipts and fixed charges of operating the roads.

The Panama Canal scheme used to have a great deal of vociferous support among our contemporaries of the Boston press. But it does not seem to have any solitary friend left among the law-seekers in Washington. The sober sentiment there as here is overwhelmingly for Nicaragua.

It is a long time since the "Mad Mulah" figured conspicuously in African news. But late last month he was reported to be still in the field at the head of 40,000 men and a British expedition was making ready to go after him as soon as the grass was sufficiently grown to afford grazing en route.

Minister Wu says that all "Chinese men love home and have a horror of traveling abroad." Yet we notice that the Chinamen are forever trying to sneak into United States, and in hazardous ways. The Chinaman will go as far from home for a dollar as any other man.

The moonshiners of the South still make the Marshall's lot a most unhappy one.

The Republican Convention.

The delegates chosen at the Republican caucus met in convention last Saturday afternoon, Nov. 23, and after organizing made the following nominations of candidates to be voted for at the city election on Dec. 10.

A motion not to make a nomination for Mayorality candidate was voted down, after which, on motion of Major R. G. Hall, Mr. William E. Blodgett, President of the present City Council, was nominated for Mayor by acclamation. There was not a dissenting voice. Then this ticket for the other offices was unanimously placed in nomination: For Board of Public Works Frank W. Greydon.

For School Committee, George F. Bean, Robert Chalmers, Josiah Pat Bixby, all present members of the Board.

For Aldermen-at-Large, Joseph F. DeLoria, Edward Brackett, Frank A. Winn, John K. Murdoch, Arthur H. Wyman, Frank M. Pushee, Walter Poole, James R. Wood.

The convention was harmonious from beginning to end, and everyone expressed satisfaction with the ticket nominated. Without exception they will make first-class city officers.

Eight deer hunters have been killed in the Wisconsin woods already this season.

The San Francisco *Call's* elaborate yarn about a plot to overthrow the Canadian Government of the Northwest Territory is described as "unconfirmed."

The first appearance of the boy-cott in literature is the order of the Chicago labor leaders against the purchase or reading of books which were not printed by Union labor.

The ambition of the new Australian Commonwealth is expanding as is shown by the declaration of the Premier, Mr. Barton, urging the assumption of control over New Guinea.

"Lord Salisbury is aging." At the age of seventy-one a man who has weathered as many gales as the British Prime Minister can hardly be expected to present a youthful appearance.

Not all the famous sons of Massachusetts are statesmen or copper kings or holders of championship titles. The true heroes who have won the Paweski prizes are natives of the Bay State.

It seems possible that, as Krueger predicted, the House will fight for the rights until the last of them falls in his tracks. The two Republics are already nothing more than a sepulchral wilderness.

A Washington correspondent quotes President Roosevelt as saying: "I am getting more advice these days than any living man, and most of it is bad." That is one of the penalties of being President.

Senator Allison, too, who used to be claimed as something of a freetrader, is strenuously opposed to a general tariff revision. The statesmen are hearing from the business men. It is getting nearly unanimous.

"One should eat from two to eight pounds of grapes a day, or if oranges are favorite agency, the number to be eaten is a day may vary from three to six." "We are reminded of the old saw: 'If wishes were horses beggars might ride.'"

The Harper's Weekly writer hammers a nail in with one when he remarks: "With President Roosevelt in the White House and the Hon. Seth Low at the New York City Hall, the coming winter bids fair to be a hard one for the office-seekers."

The rioting about the miners of Madisonville, Ky., not only creates a situation serious enough to require the calling out of the State troops, but suggests possible complications with the Federal Government, as the proceedings of the strikers are in open defiance of the recent injunction by the United States Court.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss. PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Parker L. Converse, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased:

WHEREAS, Lucy E. B. Converse, the executrix of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the first and final account of her administration upon the estate of said deceased; and you are hereby cited to appear at Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County, on the third day of December, A. D. 1901, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executrix is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate of said deceased, before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week for three successive weeks in the *Woburn Journal*, a newspaper published in Woburn, in said County, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate of said deceased.

Witness, CHARLES J. McINTYRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and one.

S. H. FOLSOM, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss. COURT OF LAND REGISTRATION.

To William Terry, Bernard Phine and Bridget Pierce of Woburn, Charles L. Faint, Treasurer, Everett, and Walter R. Taylor of Woburn, all in said County of Middlesex, and said County Clerk, the heirs, devisees or legal representatives of John Leslie, formerly of said Woburn, deceased, and Paula Gallata of Messina, Italy, and to all whom it may concern:

WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said Court by William Terry, to register and confirm his title in the following described land:

About 2400 square feet of land and buildings thereon, situate in said Woburn, on Kingston street, lot 316 on Plan B, of Montvale Park Land Company, recorded in said Middlesex County, under Docket No. 100, Plan A, bounded as follows:—Southerly by Elm street, easterly by lot 317 on said Plan, southerly by lot 318 on said Plan, and westerly by lot 315 on said Plan.

You are hereby cited to appear at the Court of Land Registration to be held at Boston, in said County of Suffolk, on the twentieth day of January, A. D. 1902, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid, your default will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, LEONARD A. JONES, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and one.

CLARENCE C. SMITH, Recorder.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss. PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Anna M. Kellogg, late of Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, on the third day of December, A. D. 1901, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid, your default will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, CHARLES J. McINTYRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and one.

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CLERK'S OFFICE, October 15, 1901.

In accordance with the provisions of Statutes of 1897, Chapter 548, notice is hereby given that meetings of the citizens of Woburn qualified to vote will be held on

TUESDAY, the tenth day of December, A. D. 1901.

In the following places, namely:—

Ward One—Music Hall, Bowditch Hall, Main St.

Ward Two—Armory, Prospect St.

Ward Three—Lyceum Hall, Main St.

Ward Four—Lyceum Hall, Main St.

Ward Five—Porter House, Thorne St.

Ward Six—Village House, Main St.

Ward Seven—Cummings House, Willow St.

The Polls will be open at six o'clock in the morning and closed at four o'clock in the afternoon, and all such citizens will in the several wards in which they are entitled to vote, between said hours, give in their vote for a Mayor, eight Aldermen-at-Large, and one Alderman from each of the several Wards; also, for one member of the Board of Public Works, for the term of four years; also for three members of the School Committee.

All such male citizens will, in the several Wards in which they are entitled to vote, between said hours, give in their votes "Yes" or "No" in answer to the questions: "Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this city, for the year beginning May 1, 1902?"

Shall Chapter 322 of the Acts of the Massachusetts Legislature of 1901 be accepted?

An Act relative to the Terms of Office of City Clerk.

SECTION 1. In the year nineteen hundred and one and every third year thereafter, every city in the Commonwealth shall elect a city clerk, to hold his office for three years from the day of his election or appointment.

SECTION 2. In the year nineteen hundred and one and every third year thereafter, in every city in the Commonwealth, there shall be elected or appointed, as required by the charter of their respective cities, a city clerk to hold his office for three years from the day of his election or appointment.

SECTION 3. All the votes cast by each voter for the aforesaid election or appointment and qualification must be upon one ballot.

SECTION 4. When a vacancy shall occur in the office of city clerk, the person elected or appointed to fill the vacancy shall hold the office until the end of the unexpired term of the person last holding the office.

SECTION 5. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 6. This act shall be submitted to the voters of every city at the next annual municipal election, and upon its acceptance by a majority of the voters voting thereon, it shall take effect in that city. [Adopted May 1, 1901.]

SECTION 7. In the year nineteen hundred and one

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North Woburn.

Ward 6 will make the effort of its life to elect the Republican ticket next Tuesday. Blodgett is popular up here; the list of candidates is the best ever put up; everybody is enthusiastic and full of fight; and candidate Poole is scratching the ground over with a flint tooth comb for voters.

This section of the city will vote strong of "No License" on Dec. 10. It is the banner temperance Ward. The people are moral and upright and sticklers for good municipal government. They can always be depended on to vote on the right side of all moral questions. I am glad to be able to say that Mr. Andrew Lincoff, Principal of the Randolph School, a clean and intelligent citizen, who presided at the temperance rally here last week, is earnestly engaged in promoting the success of the "N." vote. His influence will tell for good. Judge Charles D. Adams is also at work in the same direction. No man in the whole city wields a stronger or more healthy influence on the community than Judge Adams, and his enthusiasm in the cause means a big vote for "No" in Ward 6. And so it is all through the list of our leading and most influential citizens, they are active and earnest and will be heard from with a loud voice at the polls.

Literary Notices.

Modern Culture for December contains a striking poem on "Immortality," by a cultivated Chinaman living in California, Mr. Pak Gao Wai, "Christians Ghost Story," by Jessie May Tobin Montague; A Sketch of the Crimean (illus.), Madame de Wollant of the Russian Embassy, Washington; Siemkiewicz and Seventeenth Century Poland, by J. H. Oswald Marling, M. D.; "Reconstruction and After," second paper, by Frederick Austin Ogg, A. M.; "Debating and Citizenship," by Edwin Maxey, D. C. L. L. D.; two illustrated papers on pottery, and the usual department.

A. J. Snell wants to attend a party, but was afraid to do so on account of pains in his stomach, which he feared would grow worse. He says, "I was telling my troubles to a lady friend, who said, 'Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy will put you in condition for the party.' I bought a bottle and took pleasure in stating that I was cured and enabled me to have a good time at the party." Mr. Snell is residing at Summer Hill, N. Y. This remedy is for sale by all druggists.

Y. M. C. A.

The service last Sunday was well attended. Rev. W. Haskins gave a stirring address. Next Sunday Dr. Scudder will give the address and Miss Treacart will sing.

A Good Cough Medicine.

[From the Gazette, Toowoomba, Australia.] I find Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is an excellent medicine. I have been suffering from a severe cough for the last two months and it has effected a cure. I have great pleasure in recommending it.—W. C. WOCKNER. This is the opinion of one of our oldest and most respected residents and has been voluntarily given in good faith that others may try the remedy and be benefited, as was Mr. Wockner. This remedy is sold by all druggists.

Boston has waited patiently for the paintings which Mr. Abby is bringing across the ocean to complete the ornamentations of the Delivery Room in our Public Library. There may be two opinions as to the subject, but there is only as to the merits of the work. That opinion is full of praise.

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The Steward of the Royal Henley Regatta has decided to continue to welcome foreign competitors. Speaking of Henley, it would be a pleasure to welcome one of its crack crews, and now America would like to see an English crew.

If you would have an appetite like a bear and a relish for your meals take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They correct disorders of the stomach and regulate the liver and bowels. Price, 25 cents. Samples free, at Huntley & Co.'s drug store.

In spite of war and increasing tax rates and the rebelliousness of the honorable gentlemen from Ireland the preparations for King Edward's coronation go on apace. It will doubtless be a brilliant pageant, and it looks as if no small part of the brilliancy would be lent by Americans.

CITY OF WOBURN.



City Clerk's Office, Woburn, Mass., Dec. 4, 1901.

I certify that the following is a list of all the candidates duly nominated and to be voted for by the legal voters of the City of Woburn, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, on Tuesday, December 10, 1901, together with the questions to be voted on at said Election:

JOHN H. FINN, City Clerk.

FOR MAYOR.

Mark one.
William E. Blodgett, Nomination Paper, Citizens Municipal League, Republican.
14 Main Street.
John F. Bradley, Socialist Labor Party
20 Broad Street.
John P. Feeney, Democratic
27 Scott Street.

Aldermen-at-Large.

Mark eight.
J. Joseph Aylward, Democratic
12 Willow Street, Ward 7.
Edward G. Brackett, Nomination Paper, Citizens Municipal League, Republican.
24 Arlington Road, Ward 1.
Edward F. Brady, Democratic
24 Lawrence Street, Ward 1.
David W. Brown, Nomination Paper, Citizens Municipal League, Republican.
1 Lexington Street, Ward 7.
Bernard J. Callahan, Democratic
29 Highland Street, Ward 2.
Joseph F. DeLoria, Nomination Paper, Citizens Municipal League, Republican.
56 Warren Avenue, Ward 1.
Mark C. Feich, Democratic
29 Beach Street, Ward 4.
John A. Johnson, Socialist Labor Party.
8 Allen Street, Ward 2.

James L. McDermott, Socialist Labor Party.
11 Grove Street, Ward 3.
Peter E. McHugh, Democratic
27 Houghton Street, Ward 3.
John K. Mardock, Nomination Paper, Citizens Municipal League, Republican.
604 Main Street, Ward 3.
William H. O'Brien, Socialist Labor Party.
144 Montvale Avenue, Ward 4.
John O'Donnell, Socialist Labor Party.
237 Main Street, Ward 4.

John H. Parkman, Democratic
13 Salem Street, Ward 4.
Walter L. Poole, Nomination Paper, Citizens Municipal League, Republican.
7 Goodwin Avenue, Ward 6.
Daniel Sullivan, Democratic
13 Main Street, Ward 2.

Frank A. Winn, Nomination Paper, Citizens Municipal League, Republican.
6 Highland Street, Ward 2.
James R. Wood, Nomination Paper, Citizens Municipal League, Republican.
372 Salem Street, Ward 5.

Arthur B. Wyman, Nomination Paper, Citizens Municipal League, Republican.
605 Main Street, Ward 4.

Aldermen by Wards.

WARD 1.
For Alderman.
Patrick H. Lynch, Democratic
15 Stoddard Street.

WARD 2.
Mark one.
John J. Carroll, Democratic
27 Arlington Street.
James M. Kimball, Republican
76 Garfield Avenue.

WARD 3.
Mark one.
Daniel H. Holland, Democratic
18 Munroe Street.
James F. McGovern, Republican
rear 36 Chestnut Street.

WARD 4.
Mark one.
Daniel R. Beggs, Republican
11 Main Street.

WARD 5.
Mark one.
Bernard J. Gannon, Republican
152 Washington Street.
Samuel T. Hooper, Democratic
117 Washington Street.

WARD 6.
Mark one.
Frank Carter, Republican
64 Elm Street.
Nathaniel H. Ricker, Democratic
32 Pearl Street.

WARD 7.
Mark one.
Michael J. Grogan, Democratic
50 Bedford Street.

Board of Public Works.

For four (4) years. Mark one.
Frank W. Greydon, Nomination Paper, Citizens Municipal League, Republican.
7 Lowell Street, Ward 6.
James H. Kelley, Democratic
25 Stoddard Street.
John W. Kogan, Nomination Paper, Socialist Labor Party.
4 Belmont Street.

School Committee.

For Three (3) years. Mark three.
George F. Bean, Republican
130 Montvale Avenue.
Josiah P. Bixby, Republican
55 Elm Street.
Robert Chambers, Republican
49 Pleasant Street.
Arthur E. Gage, Democratic
8 Sherman Place.
Sarah M. Hammond, Democratic
15 Vermont Street.
Redmond E. Walsh, Democratic
19 Beacon Street.

To vote on the following mark a Cross (X) in the square at the right of YES or NO, as you desire to vote.

Shall Chapter 322 of the Acts of the General Court of Massachusetts for 1901, entitled: "An Act relative to the terms of office of City Clerks be accepted?"

To vote on the following mark a Cross (X) in the square at the right of YES or NO, as you desire to vote.

Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors?

A Woman's Awful Peril.

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THE FAIR.

"Fiddle Dee Dee," that merry burlesque which is now being produced at the Park Theatre, having made a great impression upon the theatre-going public in the city, continues its engagement this week. While the burlesque has been seen at the Park Theatre, it has many features being added, and its travesties up-to-date in every sense of the word. It is a burlesque written with a desire to give players an evening's entertainment, and it serves this purpose admirably. There are no sentimental and funny situations. It is a mixture of the brightest of musical farce comedy, and every opportunity is given the clever performers from the Vaudeville. The players have received enthusiastic commendations from the press and public, and the performance goes off with a dash and swing which is convincing. In the cast, Jake Barnard, Bobby Harris, Al Johnson, Midge Pierce, Joseph E. Howard, Ida Emerson, Laurence Conlock, The Musical Johnsons, Flora Dory, Girls and De Wolf, Cleveland and Varny.

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There will be no dispute over the football championship. Harvard is as pre-eminent this season as Yale was last season. If West Point should fulfill expectations and defeat Annapolis, the critics will have some trouble selecting the teams to follow Harvard, for up to date Harvard alone has vanquished the doughty Cadets.

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MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

UNITARIAN.—At 10:30 A. M., preaching by the pastor, Subject: "The Angel of the Lord." Sunday School at 12.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST.—Services at 9 A. M. Hall, Savings Bank Building, Sunday morning at 10:45. Subject: "Sacrament." Sunday school for the children at 11:45 A. M. Reading Room No. 1 Savings Bank Building.

BAPTIST.—At 10:30 A. M., preaching by Rev. C. B. Crane, D. D. Subject: "Good Team Work." Sunday School at 12 M. Christian Endeavor Meeting at 4:45 P. M. Service of Praise and Prayer at 7 P. M. Subject: "A Great Oration in Egypt." Week School Meeting Wednesday evening at 7:45.

METHODIST.—At 10:30 A. M., preaching by the pastor, Rev. Frederick Woods. Sunday School at 12 M. Prayer League at 5:45 P. M. General Prayer Meeting at 7 P. M. Tuesday, Class Meeting at 4:45 P. M. Friday, Prayer Meeting at 7:45 P. M.

CONGREGATIONAL.—Preaching by the pastor at 10:30 A. M. Sunday School at 12 M. Evening Worship at 7 P. M. Preaching by the pastor, Prayer Meeting Wednesday, at 7:30 P. M. Rev. D. Scudder, pastor.

SWEDISH EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN.—21 Sunday in Advent.

At 10:30 A. M., Divine Service. Subject: "Behold, I Come Quickly." Sunday School at 12 M. 7 P. M., Divine Service. Thursday, 7:45 P. M., Young People's Meeting. Rev. N. E. Knox, A. M., Pastor.

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CITY OF WOBURN.

CLERK'S OFFICE, October 19, 1901.

In accordance with the provisions of Statutes of 1899, Chapter 545, notice is hereby given that meetings of the male citizens of Woburn qualified to vote will be held on

TUESDAY, the tenth day of December, A. D. 1901.

In the following places, namely:—

Ward One—Merrill Hall, Dow's Block, Main St.
Ward Two—Warren, Prospect St.
Ward Three—Lycium Hall, Main St.
Ward Four—Lycium Hall, Main St.
Ward Five—Porter House, Thorne St.
Ward Six—Vernon House, Main St.
Ward Seven—Cummings House, Willow St.

The Polls will be open at six o'clock in the morning and closed at four o'clock in the afternoon, and all such citizens will be in the several wards to which they are entitled to vote, between said hours, give in their votes "Yes" or "No" in answer to the questions on the ballot, and to sign the name of the elector in the space provided for the purpose of the year beginning May 1, 1902.

Shall Chapter 322 of the Acts of the Massachusetts Legislature of 1901 be accepted?

Section 1. In the year nineteen hundred and one and every third year thereafter, there shall be elected by the voters in every city qualified to elect a city clerk in December, a city clerk, to hold his office for three years from the beginning of the next municipal year.

Section 2. In the year nineteen hundred and two and every third year thereafter, in every city not required to elect or appoint a city clerk in the year in which they are entitled to vote, between said hours, give in their votes "Yes" or "No" in answer to the questions on the ballot, and to sign the name of the elector in the space provided for the purpose of the year beginning May 1, 1902.

Section 3. Every such clerk shall hold office until the election or appointment and qualification of his successor, unless sooner removed by due process of law.

Section 4. When a vacancy shall occur in the office of the city clerk, the mayor, elected or appointed to fill vacancy shall hold the office until the end of the unexpired term of the person last holding the office.

Section 5. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 6. This act shall be submitted to the voters of every city in the next annual municipal election, and upon its acceptance by a majority of the voters voting therein in any city shall take effect in that city. (Approved May 1, 1902.)

All female citizens, qualified to vote as the law directs, will in the several wards to which they are entitled to vote, between said hours, give in their votes on a separate ballot, for three members of the School Committee.

All the votes cast by each voter for the aforesaid officers, and in answer to the aforesaid questions must be upon one ballot.

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Literary Notices.

The Christmas number of DONAHOE'S MAGAZINE is a fitting tribute to the season. The contents include articles, stories, poems, many beautiful illustrations, and other notable features. A few of the special subjects are: Christmastide of long ago, by Dr. B. F. DeCosta, an unique paper dealing with events and people of other days. Our True Position, by Rev. John J. Mulvey. The first of the series of essays on Our Position, begins in this number. The object of these essays is to show how difficult it is for the average non-Catholic, no matter how high his rank, or how cultured his mind—to be entirely free from prejudice against his Catholic neighbors. The sources for this prejudice and ignorance will be pointed out, and the remedy suggested. Poets I Have Known (Aubrey De Vere) by Rev. Matthew Russell, has S. J. From the wealth of personal letters and reminiscence in his possession, Father Russell has prepared another of his delightful papers, taking as his subject Aubrey De Vere. A fine collection of views and portraits accompany the text. Missionary Experience in Jamaica by Rev. Patrick F. X. Mulry. S. J. Father Mulry gives an interesting account of what missionary zeal has done for the natives of this beautiful island so sadly in need of the ministrations of religion, though only six days' journey distant from New York. The fiction of this Christmas number is particularly strong many favorite contributors appearing. Among the short stories are: The Monk of Trabolgan, by Rev. P. A. Sheehan, P. P., author of My New Curate. A powerful tale of thrilling interest, told in Father Sheehan's superb style. A Christmas Visitor by Katherine Tynan Hinkson, the love story of "Elly L' Estrange of Dromore Castle and the Vicomte de Pottiers. The Best Laid Plans, by Eugene Ulrich, and The Little Mother's Christmas, by John Austin Schellert. Rev. Jas. B. Dollard (Silver us) Caroline D. Swan, Amadeus, J. Gertrude Maud, Henry Coyle, and D. J. Donahoe, are the poets of the number, and contribute in no small degree to its interest and attractiveness.

The December NATIONAL is an Export Number. A large extra edition is distributed by American exporters to leading trade centres in all parts of the world. It carries the Gospel of the American commercial spirit from St. Petersburg to Melbourne, and from Sitka to Ceylon. Besides providing its usual large quantity of good stories, bright poems and interesting pictures, the NATIONAL also presents several strong and thoughtful articles on phases of American commercial and industrial growth. Editor Joe Mitchell Chapple, in his Washington, considers briefly the trend of large legislation this winter. Charles Austin Bates, the successful New York, ad vertising manager, writes of American Trade Expansion. Ernest G. Walker, a Washington journalist, discusses Trade's Plan to Win South America. P. Austin, chief of the bureau of statistics, United States treasury department, contributes a significant and authoritative study of Foreign Markets for Our Manufactures. Captain Arthur Mc Gray, a Boston export agent and formerly a well known navigator, writes on American Manufactures, the Subsidy Bill and Trans-Isthmian Canal, showing how the three great problems are closely knitted together and vitally important to the continuance of American prosperity. John C. Coombe, the distinguished Boston lawyer, addresses a greeting to Australia under the title of Australia, the Ship Subsidy Bill and a Mighty Navy. Mr. Coombe will conclude his articles in the January NATIONAL. In which Isthmus will be pierced an anonymous writer predicts that inter-oceanic canal will be dug, not on the Nicaragua or Panama route but at Darien, and gives some remarkable reasons for that belief. Thomas F. Walsh, the Colorado mining millionaire, now a resident of Washington, contributes an illustrated article on National Irrigation urging the government's duty to make homes for 20,000,000 people in the now arid West. Major George F. Chase, The Cavalry, writes of Our Markets in the Philippines. Martin Murray of Twentieth Century's Task in Africa, Scudding Richardson of The New Texas and Joe Mitchell Chapple of The Winter Fair at Charleston.

WINCHESTER.

Everybody enjoyed the first sleighing of the season last week.

Dr. Church is busy protecting our people against all danger from small-pox. The Doctor is a worker.

The latest thing for our people to worry over and grumble about is the shortage of power on the Reading & Arlington road.

Rev. Thomas S. Pierce, pastor of the Highlands Baptist Mission, has resigned. He has accepted a pastorate in North Carolina.

It was sang into my ear the other day by a little bird, that Col. Nat. Richardson was exceedingly proud of his portrait in the Press a few weeks ago.

I am informed by architects and builders that the prospect for a large increase in the number of fine residences in this town next season, was never so encouraging as at present.

About 20 carefully selected singers, more than half of them soloists, will render Saint John's famous Christmas Oratorio at the vesper services of the Congregational church on Sunday, Dec. 15.

Beautiful Mystic Lakes have become famous as skating grounds and a resort for lovers of the sport. In about two weeks, when the December moon is near its full, when the ice is as smooth as a mirror, when the boys and girls flock on it by hundreds to exhibit their skill and enjoy the fun, there will be splendid times on Mystic Lakes.

Winchester, a town in Middlesex county, Mass., containing about 7000 inhabitants, is located on both banks of the romantic Aberjona and is beautiful for situation. Its inhabitants are about equally divided between Boston professional and business men, and the descendants of "Richardson's Row," once a populous and noted part of the town. It is a popular Boston suburb, and bids fair to become a city, like Woburn.

It may not be generally known beyond the limits of our town that Winchester has a few society clubs which she cherishes as the apple of her eye. They are, so to speak, star organizations and exceedingly choice. I refrain from naming them lest by so doing jealousy might be engendered and trouble grow out of it; but the masses will find no difficulty in pointing out, with a just and proper indignation, the social organizations named by me. I would further state, with your permission, Mr. Editor, that only the cream of society can gain admittance to these clubs.

Mr. Francis R. Henderson of the well-known firm of carriage manufacturers, North Cambridge, after searching pretty thoroughly to find the farm most beautiful for situation of any in Middlesex county, has selected, purchased and moved into the old Deane's Ezekiel Johnson farm situated on Ridge street, Winchester, Mass. The land reaches over the line several acres into Woburn. He has already made great improvements on the buildings and grounds, which are we are assured but a beginning. The view from this place is exceptionally far-reaching and grand, extending from Massachusetts bay on the South to New Hampshire's granite mountains on the north, and from the distant coast line glimmering in the morning sunlight, and the intervening towns and forests, on the east, to Mt. Wachusett and away beyond well on towards the New York line on the west. Mr. Henderson's friends all believe that he has made an excellent choice and tender congratulations accordingly. And may the choicest of Heaven's blessings be showered down upon the present owner of the farm so long in the Johnson name, when the good Deacon lived and labored and prayed for so many years.

Hartington.

There will be no service in the church Sunday morning, Dec. 15. In the evening Miss Anna Moore of Boston, Secretary of Young Peoples' department of the W. H. M. A. will give an address in the church at 7 o'clock. Miss Moore is an attractive speaker. Everybody come.

Coughs and Colds in Children.

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I use and prescribe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for almost all obstinate, constricted coughs, with direct results. I prescribe it to children of all ages. Am glad to recommend it to all in need and seeking relief from colds and coughs and bronchial affections. It is non-narcotic and safe in the hands of the most unprofessional. A universal panacea for all mankind—Mrs. Mary R. Melendy, M. D., Ph. D., Chicago, Ill. This remedy is for sale by all druggists.

A BURSTING BOILER.

How It Looks When a Locomotive Is Blown Up.

"I am one of the very few persons who ever saw a locomotive blow up," remarked an old railroad man to a reporter the other day. "Generally the man who witnesses the explosion of a steam engine are so dead when the smoke has cleared away that they are never able to give an account of the disaster."

"Like many other accidents, the one I saw was the result of carelessness. Low water in the boiler for the engine had just come from the shops and was in complete repair. It was on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad in West Virginia a number of years ago. I was on a locomotive some distance behind the one which exploded and was looking ahead out of the cab window, so that the ill fated engine was immediately before my eyes. Suddenly I saw the machine rise in the air. It seemed to me to be about as high as the telegraph poles beside the track, which, as you doubtless know, are not so high as telegraph poles in the city. Then came a cloud of dense black smoke and dust, which hid the engine from view, and almost simultaneously I heard the roar of the explosion."

"Both the engineer and the fireman were killed, and the locomotive was fit for nothing much but the scrap heap when it fell to the ground. The crown sheet over the firebox had blown out. "The strange thing about the explosion was that no white steam was seen. You know that perfectly dry steam is invisible, being like the air, and before it had time to condense it was probably smothered by the cloud of smoke and dust raised by the bursting of the boiler."—Baltimore Sun.

PREPARED CHALK.

How to Prepare an Effective and Economical Dentifrice.

Practically all the tooth powders of commerce have the same base—prepared chalk. This is mixed with some sweetening compound, flavored a little, put up in an attractive bottle of jar and, behold, a tooth powder costing from 15 to 50 cents per vessel, according to the place you buy it and the celebrity of the name on the label.

For 15 cents the enough tooth powder to last a family a year can be put together. Buy the chalk in bulk and with it some ground castle soap, which all druggists sell. Put them together in the proportion of one-eighth soap to seven-eighths chalk, mix well and fill any and all the empty tooth powder jars or bottles that you may have around. In flavoring is liked, it is easy to add a little wintergreen or peppermint.

So with the various antiseptic and disinfecting solutions that, attractively bottled and judiciously advertised, coax pennies unnecessarily out of our purses. There is no better cleanser and general sweetener than saturated solution of bicarbonate of soda. Fill a pint or a quart bottle, if you will, with clear water and add bicarbonate of soda got from the druggist, not the grocer, until the liquid will take up no more. Keep this on your toilet shelf and use it as a mouth wash, etc.

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Mortgagee's Sale

—OF—

REAL ESTATE.

Pursuant to the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by William B. Ayres to the County of Suffolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to William Cobb of said Boston, dated August 29th, 1901, and recorded with Middlesex County Deeds, Book 215, Page 546, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction upon the premises hereinafter described on

TUESDAY, the 31st day of December, 1901, at 3:15 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows: A certain parcel of land with the building thereon standing, situated on the westerly side of Vernon street in that part of Woburn in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, near East Woburn or Montvale, and bounded as described as follows, viz: Beginning at a point on said Vernon street distant south from land now or late of Adria Page, measuring on said street three hundred and fifty-five and 6/10 (355.6) feet, and running south four (4) degrees and fifty-eight (58) minutes east by said street, sixty (60) feet; thence at right angles westerly by land now or late of F. F. Foster, one hundred (100) feet; thence northerly by other land now or late of said Foster sixty (60) feet; thence easterly by other land now or late of said Foster one hundred (100) feet to the point of beginning containing six thousand (6000) square feet of land, but all the measurements more or less.

Said premises will be sold subject to a first mortgage for twenty-five hundred dollars given by said William B. Ayres to John O. Slattery, Jr., recorded with said Deeds, Book 215, Page 546, and to any and all unpaid taxes and assessments. Three hundred dollars must be paid in cash at the time of the sale; the balance to be announced at same time and place.

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Two That Were Served in Delmonico's Old Place in New York. Probably the most expensive dinner ever given at Delmonico's old restaurant, on Fourteenth street, New York, was that given by Mr. Morton Peto to the text and coffee merchants of New York, 200 in number. It cost \$25,000. The rarest wines and the most elaborate decorations were mere incidents. The menu cards were of gold, and the guests sat on silk cushions on which their names were embroidered. In the center of the table was a miniature lake in which swam swans taken from Central Park. Clara Louise Kellogg received \$1,000 for singing two songs at this feast and a present besides of a diamond bracelet. The salon was smothered in flowers. Another dinner given at one of the Delmonico establishments for ten people cost \$400 a plate. It was luxurious enough to be classical. The waiters, five of them, were dressed as soldiers. The host was a yachtsman, and he bought the waiters' clothes. The guests drank, or, rather, tasted, every vintage liquor that ever has been brought to America. They finished with a pousee cafe made of eleven liquors. Before each plate sat a cut glass basin about twenty inches in diameter and four inches deep. Each was nearly filled with water perfumed with attar of roses, on the surface of which floated half open pond lilies. In the basin a perfect model of the yacht owned by the host was placed. It was cut in red cedar wood, with cabin, rail, wheel for steering, brasswork, such as belaying pins and binnacle, manrope worked and trimmed with sailor knots, scraped pine masts and booms, rigging of silken cords colored as the sails in the original, and sails of satin. There were a gold and many other gewgaws.—New York Sun.

An Anecdote of venues. The following anecdote of Leigh Hunt was once related by "Orion" Horne. Horne on a bitterly cold day in winter went to see Hunt, and found him in a large room with a wide, old fashioned fireplace. He had dragged his piano on to the hearth, close to a large fire, leaving only room for himself and his chair, and was playing with the greatest enjoyment.

"My dear fellow," cried Horne, "are you aware that you are ruining your piano forever and ever in this heat?"

"I know—I know," murmured Hunt, "but it is delicious."

Boston Theatres.

BOSTON MUSIC HALL.

We are in the midst of the holiday season now and it is fitting that we should have genuine holiday entertainment. This is the time of year when good cheer should reign, and a little merriment is not a bad accompaniment to the good cheer. Boys and girls dispensed in homoeopathic doses at Boston Music Hall next week will be dispensed through the subjoined names will show. The great Leon has again been secured. It is only a week since this remarkable musician appeared in this same house and mystified everyone by his wonderful feats. He will return with a number of new illusions, even more startling and more elaborate than his first series. Staley and Birbeck, the world's leading transformationists, will hold over for one more week, with their marvellous novelty act.

A Woman's Awful Peril.

"There is only one chance to save your life and that is through an operation" were the startling words heard by Mrs. I. B. Hunt of Lime Ridge, Wis., from her doctor after he had vainly tried to cure her of a frightful case of stomach trouble and yellow jaundice. Gall stones had formed and she constantly grew worse. Then she began to use Electric Bitters which wholly cured her. A wonderful Stomach, Liver and Kidney remedy. Cures Dyspepsia, Loss of Appetite. Try it. Only 50c. Guaranteed. For sale by Huntley & Co., druggists.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

COUNT OF LAND REGISTRATION.

To Merick A. Stone, of Reading, in the County of Middlesex, and in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, a certain existing corporation known as the Reading, Boston and Worcester, of parts unknown, and to all whom it may concern.

WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said Court by William Welsh of Malden, in said County of Middlesex, to register and confirm his title in the following described land:

About 150 square feet of land, situated in the City of Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, being Lot 4 and 5, Block 1 on Park District Improvement Association plan, recorded with Middlesex County Deeds, Book of Firms 88, Plan 1, and being the same as the land described in said Plan; easterly by Beacon street on said Plan; southerly by Lot 4 on said Plan; and westerly by Lot 7 on said Plan.

You are hereby cited to appear at the Court of Land Registration to be held at Boston, in said County of Suffolk, on the sixth day of January, A. D. 1902, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid, your petition will be considered as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, LEONARD A. JONES, Esquire, Judge of said Court, at Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, on the twelfth day of December, in the year nineteen hundred and one.

Attest with seal of said Court, to be sealed and signed by CLARENCE C. SMITH, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Martha A. Buck, late of Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, deceased, in probate of said estate, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for probate by Chester W. Clark of said Woburn, who claims that said instrument is the last will and testament of said deceased, and that he is entitled to the same.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the seventh day of January, A. D. 1902, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation in some newspaper published in Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, for three successive weeks, in the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. McINTYRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, the twelfth day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and one.

S. H. POLSON, Register.

Estate of Fannie C. Thomas, late of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, represented insolvent.

THE Probate Court for said County will receive and examine all claims and credits against the estate of said Fannie C. Thomas, and notice is hereby given that all persons having claims or credits against said estate, or who are creditors of said estate, are allowed to file the same with the Probate Court, on or before the twelfth day of January, 1902, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and at Cambridge on the twenty-fifth day of February, 1902, at nine o'clock in the forenoon.

SEWALL D. SAMSON, Administrator.

Woburn, Mass., Dec. 9, 1901.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the will annexed of the estate of said Fannie C. Thomas, and notice is hereby given that all persons having claims or credits against said estate, or who are creditors of said estate, are allowed to file the same with the Probate Court, on or before the twelfth day of January, 1902, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and at Cambridge on the twenty-fifth day of February, 1902, at nine o'clock in the forenoon.

SEWALL D. SAMSON, Administrator.

Woburn, Mass., Dec. 9, 1901.

First National Bank OF WOBURN.

The Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of the First National Bank of Woburn, Mass., for the election of Directors, and the transaction of such other business as may lawfully come before the meeting, will be held at the Banking House on TUESDAY, January 14, 1902, at 4 o'clock P. M.

G. M. DAY, Cashier.

Woburn, Dec. 15, 1901.

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Furs whose quality of material and workmanship make it impossible for us, if we would, to offer them below the prices of standard grades, under the pretence of "opening," "special," or "mark down" sales.

Muffs which we sell for \$8 are worth \$8, and not advertised as worth \$12. Garmettes for which we charge \$125 are worth \$125, and not advertised as worth \$200.

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Volumes, at times, of woman's happiness or misery. The dull, sunken eyes, with its dark circles almost surely signs of woman's ill-health, and its attendant suffering. With the dull eye goes usually the sallow, sunken cheek, the drooping mouth, the shrunken form—the whole glory of woman's beauty marred by the effects of disease.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription cures the diseases which undermine the health and mar the beauty of women. It establishes regularity, dries weakening drains, heals inflammation and ulceration, and cures female weakness.

Sick women are invited to consult Dr. Pierce by letter, free, and so obtain the advice of a specialist upon their disease. All correspondence is strictly private and sacredly confidential. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

"With pleasure I send a line to let you know that I feel much better than for eight years before taking your medicine," writes Mrs. Pierce, of 124 West 11th Street, New York. "I will recommend Dr. Pierce's medicine to every woman who may have a friend who is suffering from it. I was troubled with female weakness, and began to think I was going to die. I had continued the treatment prescribed by my doctor, but I don't know what would have become of me. When your medicine came, my weight was no longer at present it is 130. I have healthy color, and my friends say I am well. My best thanks to you and my best wish, for what you do for others."

"Favorite Prescription" makes weak women strong, sick women well. Accept no substitute for the medicine which works wonders for women.

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WHY WILKINS' HIRED MAN RAN AWAY

By JOHN H. RAFFERTY.

Sunday morning, while Mrs. Wilkins was at church with Tommy, Mr. Wilkins, in defiance of the social ethics of Lake Hill, put on his overalls, and, rake in hand, attacked the carpet of dead leaves that covered his lawn. He knew that his wife would make a scene if she caught him, and he knew that his Sabbath breaking would furnish another argument against suburban life, and he anticipated considerable geying from his male neighbors, and yet, in spite of all these misgivings, he raked the leaves into rustling piles and watched with dogged satisfaction the columns of billowy smoke that rose among the oaks from his smoky fires.

Wilkins had employed seven different "hired men" since spring. None had stayed more than a month and none had carried away either the esteem or good will of Mrs. Wilkins. Most of them were worthless, some dishonest, some lazy and some lacked that regard for the proprieties which the woman of the house insisted upon. So it came to pass that Wilkins had a hard time getting to say nothing of keeping a servicable hired man, and when the leaves began to fall his lawn, gardens, vines and orchard were in sad case, his chicken house needed repairs, his coal cellar was empty, his winter kindling was unchopped and his lawyer's suburban life was tottering. Therefore he had defied all precedent and on Sunday morning attacked the work with his own hands.

While he was bending over a russet mound of leaves he heard a voice:

"Minster, I'll clean up that lawn for a meal."

It was a low, strong voice, musical of tone and so opportune that Wilkins let his rake fall and looked about. The stranger was a young man, about twenty, from a long walk, but clean and trim as to clothes and person.

"I'll just go you," said Wilkins, opening the gate. The big fellow walked in, dropped his coat on the ground and fell to work without a word. After getting back into his Sunday gear, the man of the house watched his rescuer. The latter had laid aside his round felt hat, disclosing a bullet head closely shaved. The worker's clothes, new, cheap and coarse, fit the wearer, and as Wilkins watched him swiftly and silently clearing away the dead grass, weeds and leaves his heart misgave him, and he murmured to himself:

"An ex-convict, I'll bet."

Mrs. Wilkins soon came home with Tommy and eyed the stranger askance. When she had noticed him eating heartily, but decorously, and had observed that he knew the purposes of knife, fork and spoon, she darkly hinted to her husband that there was "something mysterious" about the newcomer. When Wilkins felt sure that his wife hadn't guessed the probable truth, he resolved to offer the man a job, and as the latter passed out the walk toward the road the suburbanite stopped him with:

"My friend, I like the way you work and I like your looks, and if you'll stay, I'll give you \$4 a week and your board just to keep up the place, tend the chickens and the furnace."

"Thank you, sir. I'll try it," was the answer. "You must keep a horse, and I won't have to go to town?"

"No. Just stay here on the place and do whatever you see necessary," explained Wilkins, fully understanding the man's dislike to going into town.

"All right, sir. My name is James Green."

Wilkins showed the tall, gaunt fellow over the place and pointed out the room over the carriage house where he was to sleep. Tommy, who was ten years old, trotted after them, deeply interested in the stranger.

Of course Mrs. Wilkins didn't approve of her husband's choice. She felt sure that there was something wrong about Green, and as the day went by and he proved a splendid gardener and a most useful person in divers unexpected ways she was grievously disappointed. What enraged her most was Green's taciturnity. Every effort of the cook and the house girl, the parlor maid and the laundry woman, failed to elicit a hint about himself. At meals he was as silent as the tomb. During the day he kept busy at the back of the two acre lot; at night he sat in the barn doorway telling stories to Tommy and smoking his pipe.

Between him and the boy there sprang up an extraordinary companionship. The man, silent with his own thoughts, began to tell his little comrades the rarest and most extraordinary stories of shipwreck, of battle, of wild beasts, birds and adventures of all kinds. He knew the habits of birds and insects, of reptiles and fishes, and

these he explained to Tommy with infinite care until the boy came to dog his footsteps and sit beside him at all hours.

The carved wooden toys, platted whips of leather and arrows that Green made for Tommy were the wonder and envy of the boys of the neighborhood, but they convinced Wilkins that his model hired man had spent much time in some penitentiary. Meanwhile, as day by day she failed to penetrate the atmosphere of mystery which surrounded him, Mrs. Wilkins grew more suspicious. When she found out that he didn't want to go to the village during the day, she conceived errands that would take him there. At last he quietly but positively refused to do her bidding, explaining that Mr. Wilkins had absolved him from any duty but such as he could find on the place.

He had been two months on the place before he spoke more than a dozen words to his employer. He had worked well, asked no favors, made no mistakes. Under his assiduous efforts the Wilkins place had taken on new signs of prosperity and beauty. The house was a little more comfortable, and he'd like to spend one day in Chicago. He wanted to buy some clothes, he said, and would like to have his pay. There was \$12 due him, and Wilkins had only a twenty dollar bill.

"All right, Green," said the big-hearted suburbanite. "Here's a twenty. You can bring me back the change. And, let's see, here's my commutation ticket. I'll save you paying railroad fare."

Mrs. Wilkins overheard this talk and when Green was out of hearing proclaimed her husband a fool—a wastrel, glib, glib, stupid fool.

"That man Green will never come back," she snarled. "See him!" pointing across the lawn. "He's not even going toward the depot. He's a tramp, maybe a murderer, and he's gone off with your money and your ticket. Wilkins, you're a simp!"

Wilkins was a little doubtful when he noticed the course taken by his "model hired man." The next evening he called to his misgiving, for at sundown Green had not returned. Mrs. Wilkins began to gloat when the 8 o'clock train had passed and there was no sign of the missing gardener. Then the door-bell rang, and the girl announced "a lady to see Mr. Wilkins." He found a youngish woman, with much jewelry and very pink cheeks, smiling at him as he entered the parlor.

"Mr. Wilkins," she began, "a lady friend of mine who lives out here tells me they's a man workin' for you, and if I ain't much mistaken he's my husband. He's a tall, slim, sandy fellow, don't talk much, and—he's done time at Joliet, and—"

Mrs. Wilkins entered here.

"What do you want with him?" asked the lady of the house.

The visitor was beginning to explain when Wilkins heard footsteps falling faintly on the walk outside. He slipped quickly out of the room and into the yard. Green was coming up the back steps into the kitchen when Wilkins stopped him with, "Well, I see you're back all right."

"Yes, sir," said the gardener, polling out the railway ticket and \$8. "There's your change and the ticket."

Wilkins noticed that the latter wasn't punched.

"I walked," explained the man. "I don't like trains."

Wilkins led him across the lawn and told him that there was a woman in the parlor claiming to be his wife.

"A blond, vulgar looking woman?" said Green.

"Yes. She's in there now talking to my wife."

"Well, sir, if you'll just let on that you don't see me this evening, I'll be grateful. I'm tired now, and I don't want to see that woman, at least not tonight. Please say that I'm not here and won't be back till tomorrow."

So Green slipped off to bed, and the blond woman was sent away, promising to call again. In the morning Mr. Wilkins found Green's bed unrumpled.

On the coverlet was a new leather slipper, and on the pillow a note: "For Tommy. Goodbye!" The Wilkinses never saw or heard of him again, and Mrs. Wilkins never knew that he had come home that night with the change and the ticket.

"I always knew he was a scamp," she said proudly. "I knew he'd run away, and he did."

"Well, I don't blame him," mused Wilkins, lighting his pipe and sniling at the memory of the blond woman with the brimstone jewelry. "I'd run away myself under the same circumstances."—Chicago Record-Herald.

A Darling Horseman.

The famous John Mytton once galloped full speed over the hills of Warwickshire, trying whether or not his horse would fall. The horse did, with good luck, got up unhurt.

Shortly after he attained his majority Mytton gave a dinner at which he invited some of the best horsemen of the day, and he went to see what the man had got for him. He put one of the lot in as tandem leader to "try" it, and, with the dealer at his side, drove out on the highroad. As they drove Mytton inquired if the dealer gave a good horse, and the dealer giving a doubtful answer to a query he did not expect in respect of a horse named Mytton. Finally said he must "try" him. Fortwith he drove at the turnpike gate which he had cleared before.

The horse cleared it, leaving the wheel, the gig and its occupants on the takeoff side. Wonderful to relate, neither the horse nor the man was hurt. The gig, however, stood in urgent need of repairs.—London Stock Journal.

Works Both Ways.

To honor one's ancestors is an excellent and praiseworthy thing, but pride of ancestry is a very poor basis upon which to build one's whole life. A man who had never done anything for himself was boasting one day in the presence of a self-made man of the distinction of his ancestors.

"There is nothing," he said, "like having respect for one's ancestors to keep one out of degenerate ways."

"It is a very good motive," said the self-made man, "and you do well to be proud of your ancestors, but I don't think that you inherit your pride from your ancestors as much as you do from your mother."

"Respect for your descendants? What do you mean?"

"Why, you see, I want them to be proud of their ancestor?"

Excluded Him.

He—saw an interesting educated pig the other day that—

She—Oh, indeed!—

He—Come, now! Don't say it! You were going to say you suppose I looked in a mirror, weren't you?

She—Not at all. I don't consider you interesting or educated.—Exchange.

A THIEVES' MARKET.

ONE OF THE PROMINENT PLACES IN THE CITY OF MEXICO.

Any Policeman Will Show You the Way to It and You May There Purchase Stolen Goods by the Single Piece or by the Carload.

If you want to know the time in the City of Mexico; if you need household goods, objects of art or of personal adornment; in fact, if there is anything you desire from a pinhead to a red-hot stove—just ask a policeman.

He will point the way to the thieves' market without any more idea of laws that deal with those who receive stolen goods than if you had asked him the way to the best hotel in the city or to the theaters or to the National palace. The official of the law will not hesitate to tell you that it is directly across the street from the National palace, east of the Zocalo—the park of the people—and that if you are timid about the size of the load you wish to take there the gate is large enough to drive the biggest truck through without inconvenience. It is a very simple matter to find the thieves' market.

It is no small establishment, but a city institution, with a court as large as a city block, and it is crowded from morning till night with those who are looking for bargains without the slightest idea of moral wrong in buying stolen goods. Indeed it is stated that now and then persons find property once belonging to them exposed there for sale at a price so reasonable that they are bound to go to law about it and lay up against the delightful convenient "mamma" the trouble of appearing in court.

The market is just what its name implies—thieves' market, where motives do not corrupt, because there is always a stream of purchasers for goods at ridiculous prices. Nothing remains in stock over a few days. Spread out on tables or piled high on the ground can be found samples of almost anything.

For the Mexican raton is not particular what he steals. The thieves do not themselves act as the salesmen, for this would be dishonest even to the Mexican mind. They dispose of their plunder either for a lump sum or take a commission from the seller.

There is no assortment of goods as to class or kind. It is a case of pick and choose. Crockery, cutlery, tinware and cooking utensils are the main staples, for the Mexican is careless, and the cost of the goods is not so great as to tempt him to go to a market. The proprietor of one of the well known local restaurants admits that nearly all his knives, forks and table linen come from the thieves' market.

He makes up a list regularly to the police, but he replenishes his stock by the same means as he replenishes his own. But it is perhaps in the line of curiosities, books and objects of art that the thieves' market is most interesting.

The illustrations of the monks, scattered in the war of reform, are represented now and then. The thieves, of course, know nothing of the value of the books.

Recently a folio of Shakespeare, bound in vellum, in splendid condition, notwithstanding the long ago date of its publication, was picked up by a book lover for \$1.50 in Mexican silver.

Several bibliophiles of the United States have regular agents in the thieves' market, and it pays them.

With Maxmillian and his court many rare works of art came to Mexico, in the rush away from Mexico these were left behind. Within the last month a fan, beyond doubt by Watteau, was bought in the thieves' market for \$8.

The painting is still bright, the lace exquisite and rare, and the ivory sticks, inlaid with gold, are still intact.

Mexico's many wars have made the country an arsenal of obsolete weapons. Swords, guns and firearms from the time of Cortes to the present decade can be picked up in the thieves' market for little or nothing. Some, outside of their value as curios, are of intrinsic worth, as an American discovered not long ago. He bought for a trifle an old sword, tarnished and rusty, of the kind of the 17th century.

When he had it cleaned, he found that scabbard, hilt and blade were inlaid with rich gold of marvelous artistic design.—City of Mexico Letter in New York Times.

The Last Nickel.

The Philadelphia Record tells of a little Sunday school boy who always receives a nickel from his father to play in the collection plate. Last Sunday he was given a nickel and he was saying, "One is for the Lord, and the other is for yourself." As it was too early to start for Sunday school the little boy sat on the porch, playing with the two nickels. After awhile he happened to see a nickel and he disappeared under a crack. Without a moment's hesitation and still clutching the remaining coin in his clenched fist, he looked up at his father, exclaiming, "Oh, pop, there goes the Lord's nickel!"

Dolls.

The ivory doll of the Roman child was too costly for the ages that followed the fall of the empire. For many centuries dolls must have been chiefly of wood, and the middle ages were the jointed wooden dolls of the Netherlands. These were known in England and in this country, too, in colonial times as "Flanders babies."

There is a good deal of quiet satisfaction in seeing somebody else run against fresh paint.—Milwaukee Journal.

There is one admirable thing about a dog that always acts natural.—Atlantic Globe.

Half and Half.

"Have you suffered much from toothache?" asked the dentist.

"A little," answered the young woman in the chair, "but not much. My teeth, I suspect, are like mamma's. She has never had anything done to hers, and she hasn't an unsound tooth in her head."

"How are your father's teeth?"

"Poor papa! His are all gone. They never were anything but mere shells."

"Well," said the dentist, breaking it to her as gently as he could, "it's very evident that you inherit your upper jaw from your mother and your lower jaw from your father."—Chicago Tribune.

Straightforward.

He—You mustn't believe every beggar who comes to your door.

She—But this was no common beggar. He was a sea captain who had lost everything in a shipwreck.

He—How do you know he was?

She—He told a straight-forward story about how his ship went to pieces on the coast of Switzerland.—Philadelphia Press.

HIS NOSE WAS SAFE.

But His Nerves Were in a State of Cold Chills Collapse.

He was sitting on the veranda of a far western hotel one afternoon, said the Boston drummer, "and was lazily smoking one of the nicest meerschaum pipes you ever saw when out of the fall of my eye I saw that a native down at the other end of the veranda had his gun sighted at me. They were a wild lot around there, and I couldn't tell whether he meant to shoot me or the pipe, however, and it seemed a good chance to test my nerve. I made up my mind to let him shoot and to pretend a careless air, but I'm telling you in the ten or fifteen seconds of waiting the sweat came out at every pore and my heart pounded up like a hammer. I felt a sort of tick at the bowl of the pipe, heard the crack of the gun and knew that the bullet had passed through the pipe. I got a brace with my hands and feet and waited for a second bullet, and it went through the bowl of the pipe. I sat there until his fourth bullet had hit the pipe and knocked the bowl off the stem, and then the shooter sauntered up to me and laughingly said:

"Excuse me, stranger, but I thought it was imitation."

"Same as you are," I replied.

"My gibe hurt him, but he was man enough to tell everybody about my nerve, and the boys clapped in sufficient to make me feel like a hero."

So, my friend, you know what happened to me when I made an excuse to go up stairs after my old canoe? I had no sooner got into my room than my knees gave out, chills galloped up my spine, and I'll be hanged if I can remember any sleep there for ten minutes."

It had suddenly occurred to me that the bowl of that pipe was only six inches from my nose while the fellow was doing his shooting, and I have not yet got over touching my nasal organ now and then to see if it is safe."

INDIAN PRAIRIE DOG HUNTS

The Little Animals Are Deemed a Delicacy Dish by the Navajos.

The Navajo Indian, while he cannot be prevailed upon to eat a rabbit, is greatly fond of fat prairie dogs. Large communities of these small animals are found in the western plains, and the Navajo has resorted to many ingenious methods for trapping his coveted bait.

One of them is by the aid of a bit of mirror placed at the entrance to a burrow. When the animal ventures from his hole and sees his own reflection in the mirror, he is so frightened that he turns back and buries himself in the ground.

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THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

LESSON XI, FOURTH QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, DEC. 15.

Text of the Lesson, Ex. xli. 1-17. Memory Verses, 12-14—Golden Text, 1 Cor. v. 7.—Commentary Prepared by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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1, 2. "This month shall be unto you the beginning of months. It shall be the first month of the year to you." Thus spake the Lord to Moses and Aaron in the land of Egypt in connection with the feast of the Passover. It was the month Abib, the second month of their civil year, but became from this time the first month of their sacred year. It was the national redemption month and the month of the Exodus from Egypt.

3. "Every man shall keep his feast, shall make your count for the lamb." A lamb was to be chosen on the tenth day of that month, a lamb for each house unless the household should prove too little to eat the lamb; then the next neighbor was to be included as far as necessary, that the feast might be eaten.

4. "And ye shall keep it until the fourteenth day of the month, and shall eat it until the morning of the fifteenth day." The lamb was to be kept until the fourteenth day of the month, and shall eat it until the morning of the fifteenth day.

5. "And ye shall eat it with unleavened bread, and ye shall eat it with bitter herbs." The unleavened bread signifies that we must put away all evil in order to feed upon Him, for leaven is always a sign of sin.

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The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, DEC. 20, 1901.

SOME CHANGES.

It is rumored on the streets that a few changes are to be made in the heads of City Departments by the next administration, and names are mentioned of some of those who have already been picked out for despatch. This will be done in accordance with the old rule, "to the victors belong the spoils."

The proposed employment of the guillotine at City Hall is of no interest to the JOURNAL except that the new men be worthy and well qualified to fill the places to which they are to be elected on January 1. The Democrats however are advised to move cautiously, for there is to be another election next December.

Not knowing exactly where the axe is to fall, there is said to be fear and trembling at City Hall.

BY ERROR.

Sufficient facts have come to light during the past week to warrant the conviction that license was carried in this city on Dec. 10 by mistake. It was due to the carelessness of voters in marking the word "No." There were two of them in close proximity on the ballot, one on the license question, and one on the Town Clerk Act, and the fact has developed that a considerable number, intending to vote "No" on the former, placed the X opposite the latter, and in this way "No License" was defeated by a small margin.

There must be a misapprehension respecting Wetherell's candidacy for the office of City Tax Collector. It is doubtless true that he would have been a candidate for the place had the Municipal League won the election, but as the League was badly beaten of course Wetherell's hopes were blasted. He launched the Blodgett boom, nursed it to death, is an officer of the League, a pretended Republican, and it would be ridiculous for him to think of being a candidate under the next City administration. The idea is too absurd to be entertained for a single moment, and it is not at all likely that he contemplates any such step. The public have probably got the matter mixed.

Some superstitious people tried to make it out that the JOURNAL personally slurred the Democratic candidates for the School Board last week. Anybody of common sense would have known better than that. Miss Hammond and Mr. Walsh, who are respectable people, were not disrespectfully spoken of, nor meant to be. The JOURNAL does not deal in personal abuse.

Mr. David Wilbur Brown of Ward 7 may well feel proud of his Aldermanic record. On the 10th of this month he was elected for a 4th year as the candidate of 3 parties. Mr. Brown is a Maine man, having been born at Clinton on the Sabatocook River in 1832, and has been a worthy and respected citizen of Woburn since 1883. As a public officer he has served the city wisely and well.

Congressman "Sam" McCall of this District delivered a bitter diatribe against the Philippine Bill and the Administration in Congress last Wednesday, and voted against it. It is about time he was formally read out of the Republican Party. Some of Charles Littlefield of Maine. Cheap notoriety is the object of both.

Acting on the suggestion of the JOURNAL, it is said that the Citizens Municipal League, alias, Davis Club, is moribund and will soon breathe its last. Peace to his ashes.

Judge Johnson will have greater demands on his time now that Woburn has gone for license.—Reading Chronicle.

Sure's you're born!

Mayor Davis's financial administration will be handled without gloves in Mayor Feeney's inaugural.

LOCAL NEWS.

Hammond—Extra.
G. F. Jones—To Let.
E. P. Martin—To Let.
S. T. S. Co.—Shed.
S. W. Abbott—For Sale.
J. W. Johnson—Citation.
Five C. S. Bunk—Notice.
H. W. Nichols—For Sale.
Catharine Church—Opera.

—Christmas next Wednesday!
—Christmas comes but once a year.

—It is time now to garner the 1902 Calendar crop.

—As you go along take a peep into Huntley's store.

—The Inuit Club held a meeting last evening.

—The Inuit Club have become a corporation.

—Ex and Mayor-elect John P. Feeney has returned.

—Military Drill by Cadets at the Unitarian opera.

—Initial linen handkerchiefs 25c and 50c at Hammond's.

—Our people are buying holiday presents by the carload.

—Dorr, at Copeland's, is an expert holiday window decorator.

—Varnay, the jeweler, went down to South Berwick last week.

—Hanson & Co. have a large stock of beautiful holiday goods.

—The postponed High School dance will take place on Dec. 27.

—Mr. E. P. Marion has a good tenement, 6 Hart Place, to let.

—Please read the advertisement of the Red Star Trading Stamp Co. in this paper.

—It is suspected that Mayor-elect Feeney is burning midnight oil over his inaugural.

—A large number of the employees of the Merrimac Chemical Works were vaccinated by Dr. Bixby and Dr. Kelcher last Tuesday morning as a precautionary measure.

—A great crowd were out last Tuesday evening to hear James Jeffrey Roche lecture in the Burben Course on "Irish Wit and Humor." There are people in Woburn who could have done it better.

—Willis Buckman has as choice a stock of holiday groceries as can be found in this city.

—The days have reached their shortest, and next Tuesday will begin to increase in length.

—It was reported last Monday that Mr. H. T. Hartleban, fireman at the Panosote Works, had the smallpox.

—Silk hosiery \$1.00 and \$1.50. Hammond & Son.

—The "Kelley Lot" will have to wait "till after harvest."

—Fred Hartwell's market has a holiday air and programme.

—"Merry Christmas" to everybody and many returns of the same.

—There is to be a plenty of music in the Churches next Sunday.

—Mr. John W. Shaw advertises a desirable dwellinghouse to rent.

—For Christmas candies we know of no better store than Crawford's.

—Read Abbott's notice of land for sale. It is a chance to make money.

—Holdridge has skates, sleds and other nice things for holiday presents.

—Open every evening until Christmas. Hammond & Son.

—Our 50c neckties are acceptable gifts. Bewildering assortment. Hammond & Son.

—Dr. Charles O'Brien is a member of the vaccination force of M. D. at Dow's block.

—Squirrel lined gloves \$4.00. Other kinds at lower prices. Hammond & Son.

—Mr. P. Carlson shows a large lot of fine slippers for Christmas presents. He is worthy of patronage.

—Don't buy a piano for Christmas until you talk with Frank L. Locke the specialist on expert selection.

—We advise our readers not to fail to give C. M. Strout & Co. a call when on Christmas presents hunt.

—W. R. C. No. 161, will give a Whist Party this evening, Dec. 20, at eight o'clock. Admission 10 cts.

—Mr. Lawrence Martin gave his political associates and fellow-workers a fine supper last Saturday night.

—Mr. Gilman F. Jones advertises the large fine dwellinghouse on Winn st., lately occupied by him for rent.

—Harold Childs and Dora Page will sing songs and duets at the Unitarian opera. Dec. 30 and Jan. 1.

—Last Sunday 20 persons united with the Congregational church in this city, all but two on confession of faith.

—The ladies will find some fine neckwear at Gage & Co.'s to give their gentlemen friends on Christmas.

—Just for a guess we should say that John G. Maguire will be re-elected City Collector as easy as rolling off a log.

—Miss Edna Johnson and Marion Shaw came home from Greenfield Academy, on Thursday for Christmas vacation.

—Our School authorities may rest assured that there will be no new schoolhouse this crop of potatoes in Woburn.

—Mr. Josiah Leathe will greet his friends and patrons with a stock of shoes selected expressly for Christmas presents.

—Next week the schools will have their Christmas vacation, beginning on Dec. 24 and ending on Dec. 30, or thereabouts.

—Huntley & Co. have a choice stock of Christmas gift goods. They were selected with nice taste, and will suit everybody.

—A dance by the popular little Miss Helen Sylvester will be a pleasing feature of the Unitarian Opera on Dec. 30 and Jan. 1.

—Found, a fountain pen which the owner can have by calling at Hammond's Clothing Store, proving property and paying charges.

—Steamship tickets to or from Europe on all the lines; railroad tickets south or west; for sale by Charles R. Rosenquist, 36 Green st., Woburn-52w.

—There has been a change in the hours of the Public Library and the reading room, together with the delivery department, is now open every till 9 p. m.

—The pethouse, on the city poor farm, is not a very fine one. It has been boarded up for 20 years and must be as full of microbes as an egg full of meat.

—The St. John's Baptist Church fair was a gratifying success. The attendance was large every evening, and sales were brisk. Everybody had a splendid time.

—We have nickies enough for every man and boy in Woburn to find several in their stockings Christmas morning. 25c, 50c, and \$1.00. Hammond & Son.

—Mr. B. A. Tripp's "Christmas" poem, came to hand to late for this week's JOURNAL. But there are 12 days of Christmas, so the poem will be all right for next week.

—A good place to go for Christmas presents is the handsomely filled store of Mr. P. P. Brooks. A variety of fine things are displayed there, and the prices are moderate.

—Local reporters of Boston papers say that the City of Boston has bought about 100 acres of land near the Merrimac Chemical Works in Woburn for rifle range purposes.

—Children, young people, and parents, will find just the Christmas presents they are looking for at the variety and notion store of Mrs. Jennings. She has many handsome things for sale.

—It looks as though Santa Claus had unloaded his whole outfit at Prior's, and had to go back home for another load to put down chimneys and fill stockings.

—It ought to be possible for the managers of the Burben Course to prevent such conduct on the part of hoodlums as was witnessed at the lecture last Tuesday evening. It was an insult to the speaker and a disgrace to the city. No wonder Woburn has an unenviable reputation.

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—Mr. E. G. Leggers of Washington, D. C., reports that on Tuesday, Dec. 10, Mr. Ralph J. Patterson of this city was granted letters patent for masks arms for incandescent street lights.

—Hanson & Co., with Varney at the head, is headquarters for handsome Christmas presents. They have no end of gold and silver jewelry, precious gems, fine clocks, ladies gold watches, chains, bracelets, etc. Now is the time to buy.

—Mr. Benjamin S. Hinckley, a Western railroad civil engineer, graduate of the Mass. Institute of Technology, is spending the holiday season with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Hinckley, and sisters, on Warren Avenue.

—On account of the High School dance the 27th, the Opera "A Merry Company" will be given Monday evening, Dec. 30 at 8 o'clock and Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 1, at 4 o'clock, in the vestry of the Unitarian church. Please note advertisement.

—It oughtn't to take one a great while to find at Whitehead's what is wanted for holiday presents. He has a storeful of choice and beautiful things, all new and appropriate, and they are going like hot cakes. His collection of pictures outstrips them all.

—It is hinted in official circles that Capt. J. M. Ellis will have full charge of the building and repairing of streets in this city next year. If he does, there will be a big reform in that Department, and first-class highways may be counted on as a dead sure thing.

—James Linnell, Manager of the Linnell Market, has got things just suited him for the holiday season. The Linnell is a fine market and it never looked more attractive than it does now in its Christmas garb. The things for a Christmas dinner that can't be found at Linnell's need not be looked for anywhere else.

—No finer celery ever grew out of the ground than that furnished by George Durward to his patrons. It is the same way with potatoes and other vegetables. Now, celery is just as much a part and parcel of Christmas as holly and mistletoe, or even the Boer's Head in the merry old English days, and as we said before, George Durward deserves it in any quantity desired.

—The National Band escorted the 250 people who went to Lowell at 7.30, Tuesday evening on a special train of 4 cars, to witness a great polo game there in which the Woburn friend McGilvray was the star performer. It was a merry crowd. Mr. McGilvray's Woburn friends presented him with a handsome gold ring, the presentation speech being made by Hon. John P. Feeney.

—The Opera, "A Merry Company," under the direction of Mrs. George H. Childs and Mrs. H. C. Parker, will be given in the vestry of the Unitarian church, Monday evening, Dec. 30, at 8 p. m., and a New Year's matinee at four p. m. Miss Sybil Shaw will be the accompanist, and an hour and a half of music and fun is promised. Full advertisement next week.

—Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Doremas Scudder left Winchester on the 9.14 train Tuesday morning last for Boston where they took the express train for Jersey City. On Monday they, with Rev. Dr. March, Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Orway of Winchester, the latter a sister of Dr. Scudder, dined with their warm and fast friend, Mr. George H. Gilbert, at Sunnyside, his hospitable home, and spent a delightful season. It was the good Pastor and wife's farewell dinner to New England, and although regret and sorrow mingled with the meal, it was highly enjoyed by the guests and hosts. Of course, it was a feast, for Mr. Gilbert has been there himself and knows just how such things should be done, and has a plethoric purse and big heart that are always wide open to every good word and work.

—On Sunday morning the temperature was 62° on Monday morning it was 12°; a difference in 24 hours of 50 degrees. During the 12 or 14 hours of Sunday a warm heavy rain prevailed with the wind S. W. at 5 p. m. the wind changed to N. W., blew stiff, and by 9 p. m. the windows were thickly frosted. Such radical changes in the weather are a great trial to the human constitution.

—Mr. Herbert L. Clarke, the cornet soloist, who was born in Woburn, had the honor of playing before the King and Queen of England, Dec. 1 at the parlors of Sandringham, on the occasion of Queen Alexandra's birthday in the presence of distinguished royal guests. Mr. Clarke is now on his journey home, and he accepted the leadership of the celebrated American Band of Providence, R. I., where he will be permanently located.

—Copeland & Bowser are on hand promptly for Christmas trade. They are built that way, and Dorr is studying new designs in window decorations. A leisurely stroll through the big store of Copeland & Bowser, with eyes wide open, is enough to convince anybody that they are prepared to furnish Christmas gifts. Mr. Clarke is now on his journey home, and he accepted the leadership of the celebrated American Band of Providence, R. I., where he will be permanently located.

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Golden Jubilee.

Last week Mr. Winthrop Hammond, surviving partner of the old and successful firm of J. W. Hammond & Son, Clothiers, celebrated the 50th anniversary of the founding of the house in this city by the father, Mr. J. W. Hammond, in a manner that did credit to his head and heart. It was a gala week at the large, elegantly appointed and fully stocked store, three entire days being set apart and devoted to the celebration. Saturday afternoon was a great time, the social children, out of the abundance of his heart Mr. Hammond furnished free gratis unique and beautiful entertainments for them, and their presence in vast flocks in Lyceum Hall and on the streets was a fine show of itself. It would be difficult to suggest a more appropriate method of honoring the memory of the late Senior Partner of the firm, a most estimable gentleman, himself a lover of children, than that chosen by the Son, Winthrop Hammond, the sole present proprietor.

Previous to the celebration Mr. Hammond had issued an elegant souvenir book, with finely ornamented covers, which contained a brief history of the house, accompanied by excellent portraits of its founder, J. W. Hammond; present proprietor, Winthrop Hammond; A. P. Tabor, salesman, who has been with the firm 15 years; F. E. Lowell, 15 years; R. J. Durward, 6 years; Miss M. F. Haggan, Cashier, 8 years.

Copies of these were presented to friends and patrons, and are worthy of preservation as souvenirs of the beginning and progress of one of the most successful business establishments Woburn ever had.

The store was arrayed in fine holiday style for the occasion, brilliantly illuminated at night, and presented a delightful appearance. The celebration was an immense success.

Mr. Winthrop Hammond is one of the most energetic, progressive and successful business men in this city, under whose proprietorship and management the establishment of the "Principal Clothiers" does a great business and is highly prosperous.

A Woman's Awful Peril.

"There is only one chance to save your life and that is through an operation" were the startling words heard by Mrs. I. B. Hunt of Woburn, from her doctor after he had vainly tried to cure her of a frightful case of stomach trouble and yellow jaundice. Gall stones had formed and she constantly grew worse. Then began to use Electric Bitters which wholly cured her. It's a wonderful Stomach, Liver and Kidney remedy. Cures Dyspepsia, Loss of Appetite. Try it. Only 50 cts. Guaranteed. For sale by Huntley & Co., druggists.

As Others See Us.

Woburn has taken a backward step in sanctioning the saloon. The city is destined to play the part of a black sheep in the midst of a group of cities and towns where rum selling is not legalized. Woburn, during the past six months, has been blossoming with cleanliness. The dives and ill ordered corners that leaped against the boundary lines of the southerly end of the city, disappeared. With Mayor Davis in his shirt sleeves and backed by an honest liquor squad violations of the liquor law were reduced to a minimum. Cures Dyspepsia, Loss of Appetite. Try it. Only 50 cts. Guaranteed. For sale by Huntley & Co., druggists.

Tremendous energy must have been exerted by the liquor faction in securing the 29 votes to the good. Or was it that the advocates of no-license failed to place their shoulders to the wheel quite hard enough? At any rate the municipality took a step ahead and then was unfortunate enough to slip back. Poor Woburn! Yes, poor Winchester, too, for the noxious fumes will sweep over, and taint this town.—Winchester Press.

Saw Death Near.

"It often made my heart ache," writes L. C. Overstreet, of Elgin, Tenn., "to hear my wife cough until it seemed her weak and sore lungs would collapse. Good doctors said she was so far gone with Consumption that no medicine or earthly help could save her, but a friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery and persistent use of this excellent medicine saved her life. It's absolutely guaranteed for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma and all Throat and Lung diseases. 50c and \$1.00 at Huntley & Co.'s drug store. Trial bottles free.

A Grand Reception.

Being about to depart from America for foreign lands, finally to Honolulu, S. I., to engage in missionary work among the Japanese, the people of this city turned out en masse last Friday evening and gave Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Scudder a parting salute that must have impressed them with the belief that they were about to leave hosts of friends behind them.

The Congregational church was filled. The reception was given under the auspices of the Congregational Church, Parish, Sunday School, Ladies' Charitable Reading Society, Mutual Association, Woman's Missionary Society, Woburn Workers, Social Benevolent Society, Y. M. C. A., King's Daughters, Men's League, Master's Class, Widows' Circle, Christodoulos, all auxiliaries of the church.

The following was the ORDER OF EXERCISES.

Organ. — Come let us worship. — Mendelssohn. — Scripture. — Rev. Edward J. Burlingame.

Prayer. — Mr. Edward H. Lonsbury.

Introduction. — Rev. Frederick Woods, D. D.

Address. — Rev. George H. Tilton.

Choir. — Watchman, what of the Night? — Arthur Sullivan.

Address. — Rev. Henry C. Parker.

Address. — Mr. Frank B. Richardson.

Address. — Rev. Doremas Scudder, D. D.

Hymn, Antiphona, No. 1069. — Benediction. — Organ Postlude.

The speeches were excellent. The minor strain that ran through each of them was relieved by bits of bright humor, salutes of wit, and personal allusions. The music was fine.

The reception proper held in the lecture room was a step ahead and then was unfortunate enough to slip back. Poor Woburn! Yes, poor Winchester, too, for the noxious fumes will sweep over, and taint this town.—Winchester Press.

The churches of Burlington, Montvale and North Woburn came to the mother church last Sunday to listen to Dr. Scudder's farewell sermon and bid him goodbye.

A Card.

Mr. Willis J. Buckman wishes to thank the firemen for their valuable services on the occasion of the fire in his store Dec. 5.

A BUTTER THIN BISCUIT that literally melts in your mouth—that's the Kennedy kind—the kind that gave the fame to the butter thin name—the kind that comes in the in-c-seal package.

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Cummings—Rice.

A pretty home wedding took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Rice, 14 Cleveland Ave., Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 17, at 3 o'clock, when their daughter, Miss Hattie Estella, was united in marriage to Mr. Frederick Albert Cummings, Rev. Cephas B. Crane, D. D., of the First Baptist church, performed the ceremony in his usual happy manner, the double ring service being used.

The bride wore a beautiful dress of white Swiss organdie with embroidered chiffon yoke and white gauze ribbon trimmings. Her flowers were lilies of the valley. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Cummings received the congratulations of relatives and a few intimate friends. About 5 o'clock the bride donned her traveling dress and the happy couple were accompanied by several of the young friends had thoughtfully provided their trip will include Montreal and other points of interest. Friends showed their good wishes by many beautiful gifts of silver, china, pictures, bric-a-brac, etc. Mr. and Mrs. Cummings will be at home to their friends at 14 Cleveland avenue, after January 15, 1902. No cards.

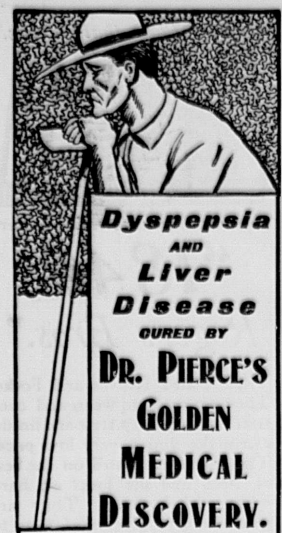
Mrs. Hayward.
At 7 o'clock Wednesday morning, Dec. 18, 1901, after an illness of several months, Mrs. HARRIET HAYWARD, widow of the late Mr. Alpheus S. Hayward, son of a neighboring family, at Augusta, Maine, they came to Woburn in 1890, and have resided here ever since.

Mrs. Hayward was a faithful wife, a kind mother, and a good neighbor. She commanded the respect and esteem of all who knew her. She left two sons, Mr. Rufus C. Hayward, and Mr. Elsie F. Hayward, to mourn the loss of one of their best mothers.

The funeral will be held at the house, No. 4 Fairmount street, tomorrow afternoon, Dec. 19, at 2 o'clock, when will be conducted the religious exercises, and Mrs. Luce to sing. The burial is to be in Woodbrook cemetery.

Royal Arcanum.

The annual election of officers of Building Council No. 125, Royal Arcanum took place



Dyspepsia AND Liver Disease CURED BY DR. PIERCE'S GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY.

"I was weak, nervous and dizzy, with a fainting sensation when walking," writes Jesse Childress, Esq., of Samuel, Sullivan & Co., Tenn. "Could not walk any distance, always felt bad after eating; felt as though something was sticking in my throat; always uneasy in stomach. Doctored with three physicians, but they did not relieve me. I grew worse and used everything I could think of, but was nearly ready to give up when I saw some of the little bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. I have taken seven bottles of this medicine, and now I feel as well as I ever did. My stomach is regular, my nerves are strong, and my weight is about 150 pounds, now it was 125. Please accept my sincere thanks."

THE VOICE OF AN ECHO

A Story of Two Old Folks

Out of the window of the old wooden bridge, whose hollowed trunk a dark bar across the moonlit mountain stream, a man and a woman stood looking into the pine clad amphitheater of the cliffs, which lay in stillness beneath the spell of a September night. The black hollow of the bridge, with its one moonbeam sharp across the floor, contrasted with the awful splendor of the granite gorge, buttressed and plummeted in every rising tier, under the flood of ghostly light, and if the only object of the couple in coming here was to see the view they were amply repaid. From their conversation since they left the hotel, which now lay behind them, it was plain to see that the old folks were not here for any other object. The small talk of acquaintance, friendship and even love is within certain limits and among people habituated to each other's conversation, it is practically impossible to find it difficult to decide why the degrees should be of so much consequence to the parties.

It was knowledge of the world and the good temper of experience that kept Mrs. Hugonin and Arthur Kinnaird on perfectly untroubled terms with each other. The conviction that he had long ago forgiven her, gratifying as it once had been, was now of such long standing that it had become confused with her earlier and less justifiable conviction that he ultimately would forgive her. Thus, in a vindictive, the last for which the dying Eve bequeathed to all her sex, Mrs. Hugonin could without the slightest reflection upon her widowhood accept once more the companionship of a man who tolerated life as comfortably as Arthur Kinnaird. The immutability of the climacteric which she knew to be threatening him was not to be read from his figure. His step was alert, his cheeks were bronzed, his tastes were rational, and what more could be desired?

She pushed back her dark hair under its somewhat youthful cap, and leaning her elbows on the ledge, gazed without speaking at the haunted dell. Kinnaird gave a little laugh behind her. "Margaret," he said, "upon my word, it seems as if we were boy and girl again."

"Why, particularly?" she asked, without turning her head.

"Oh, all this summer," he replied. "She did not ask him to be more explicit. 'It is certainly an ideal place,' she said, with a half smile. 'And so foolish to say that the beauties of nature restore one's youth. One may feel young again, but one is not really any the less dispassionate.'"

"I am not so sure of that," said Kinnaird. "I should like to argue the point with you—if it could be argued."

"You men are all alike," said Mrs. Hugonin, with an inconsistent shrug of her shoulder. "You give up to logic what was meant for conversation."

Kinnaird stroked his mustache thoughtfully for a moment. "When I think you think me dispassionate?" he observed.

"You?" said Mrs. Hugonin, turning with a delightful laugh. "Why, Arthur, there isn't a sentiment or a conviction to whose support society could order you to contribute."

"If you mean that," he said slowly, "it is quite as I feared."

"As you feared?"

"You still believe me capable of as much mistaken self control as I once was. And," he added calmly, "I don't wonder."

"Though there was no bitterness apparent in his tone Mrs. Hugonin was startled. 'Really, this is unlike you, Arthur,' she said gravely, but yet with a sense of amusement. 'You petted me with your past? You provoked with your recollections? Indeed, I have mistaken you.'

He laughed, but gently. "Come," he said, "you have no right to be ironical. Though I once let you go, it was because I thought you wished to be released."

"Upon my word, Arthur," said Mrs. Hugonin, "I did not know you were serious or I should not have taken this as a joke."

"I am entirely serious."

"Really?" said Mrs. Hugonin, and she spoke with some irritation. "I thought all had been forgotten and forgiven years ago. Then she drew herself up proudly. 'Can it be that after all this time you have conceived the childish whim of forcing me to a—'

that I am taking leave of my years. I never had much vanity, I think, but what I had when I was younger I never made a pot of. Look over there at the rocks, and what do you see?"

"Rocks—and moonlight. But, Arthur—"

"The rocks make me recollect," he went on, unheeding, "that one day when you were about seventeen you and I climbed Lone Mountain together. And when we reached the ravine you insisted on going first, and I let you. Now, I did it because I reflected that if you fell I could catch you."

"Well?"

"You see, that was my first mistake. I should have gone first and made you cling to my—pardon me—catfalls."

"Very likely," said Mrs. Hugonin, half laughing. "But I can't think it does us any good to talk it over now."

"After that," said Kinnaird, pursuing his subject, "I acted consistently on the same mistaken theory. And when it came to the question of giving you up I thought always of you. That was why I gave you up—which you naturally considered a weakness."

It did not escape Mrs. Hugonin that a dormant weakness of her own was reviving under the continued stress of this absurd conversation, a weakness for sentiment. But she was checked by her vexation with her friend for breaking their tact understanding, and by the feeling of half contemptuous pity that stole over her as he spoke.

Were she a man, she thought, she would never confess at forty to the ignominy of her own weakness. But she was a woman, and she had a headache yesterday, and therefore it was very lucky this conversation had not been started yesterday or she would have been much more provoked than she was now.

"I shall not stop you," she said in a half mischievous tone. "Go on—I won't be angry. You will perhaps admit that if there is anything rankling it is as well for you to abuse me and have it over with than to let me abuse you and have it over with you."

"My dear, my darling," he said, his strong hand clasping hers so quickly that involuntarily her arm struggled like a bird's wing to wrest itself away. "It is well for me to tell the only woman I ever loved that I was a fool and do not mean to let her go again."

"Margaret, I love you more than ever."

"It is impossible!"

"I love you!"

"You cannot, cannot be in earnest," she murmured. "Why, you have never told me."

"Never—until now," he laughed. "I learned something when I lost you the first time—my darling!"

"This," said Mrs. Hugonin, partially recovering herself, "is folly, Arthur, and no more."

"Unfair!" he said. "To want you for my wife? No; you mean unfair to take you off your guard. I will not quibble with your words," he said, smiling. "May the hour and the scene suggest to you all that they will; may they bring you back to me, as they did to me when it all happened! Margaret, when you were twenty-six I went away from the city of all my hopes, but before I turned my back on it I had as many a refuge had done for my married life, is intact, and now I want you to share it with me."

He paused a moment and then went on: "My dear, I have simply had to wait; that is all. But, please heaven, we will begin again."

Two Mrs. Hugonin's breath came and went, an unwilling messenger of passion—or, it might be, of sentiment. "Perhaps I was in the wrong," she said. "But why did you not think more of yourself?"

"Of thinking of myself now," said Kinnaird.

Suddenly, as Mrs. Hugonin hung distracted and in doubt, the cliff before them rang faint and syllable with an echo. It was the town clock of the village striking over beyond the trees. They could not hear it, but, sent from ledge to ledge, it was still night air, it struck silvery and resounded on the granite facade. As it sounded they both started, he at its elfin suggestion, she at its material reminder.

"Good gracious!" she exclaimed. "It is 11 o'clock."

"It is," said Kinnaird.

"And we must positively go back to the hotel at once. We are a scandal, Arthur—and you know it, for I saw you start too." She began to smile. "Do you see nothing in the hurry?"

"The hurry?"

"We are two old fools," she said. "Think of my boy in his bed. Arthur, 'Think of my thirty years—be quiet, if you please. I choose to be thirty for formality's sake. It is only the night and the moonlight. When 11 o'clock strikes, we recollect that we are kind, and strong—it is better as it is. Take me back to the hotel—and we shall be aware of echoes in future."

"I thought you said you had grown old," said Kinnaird. "It is only youth that refutes the rest."

And he took her in his arms and kissed her.

Lord Kelvin's Inventive Eeglass.

Soon after Lord Kelvin had assisted in laying the Atlantic cable, when he was yet known as Sir William Thomson, his mind was greatly troubled in devising some method for perfecting the ordinary telegraphic apparatus used on overhead wires, as the old method, or the one then in vogue, was not suited for the varying currents passing along the cables.

The laying of the electric current had the effect of making them run together in one bottom current, with surface ripples. The difficulty which Lord Kelvin had to overcome was to invent a means of clearly distinguishing all the delicate fluctuations.

One day the great inventor's eyelids dropped off and swung in front of the magnet. The glass deflected its movements, and from this simple and unexpected incident the "nirur instrument" was invented.

According to Seale.

Mrs. Wunder—It seems to me that my music teacher is always asking for money.

Mr. Wunder—That's perfectly natural. His scale, you know, begins and ends with "dough."—Baltimore American.

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FLOWER AND TREE.

A good tree well planted will usually grow where the work is done in the spring or fall.

A white pine will measure twenty-five feet at twenty years and gain twenty-five feet more in the next ten years.

The smallest tree in the world is the "reed" and birch. Its height is less than three inches, yet it covers a radius of two or three feet.

In dealing with your plants be prompt. If one needs attention, see that it gets it at once. This is the only way to have success in plant growing.

Experts who assert upon investigation that the fir trees of western Washington grow from 150 to 300 feet high and are from five to thirty-five feet in diameter and are stronger than oak of the Atlantic coast.

If you want your plants to thrive in an ordinary setting, you should water them once a week with lukewarm water to which a little milk has been added. Then stand the plant for two hours in lukewarm water deep enough to completely cover the pot. This is the proper way to water plants.

NEWFOUNDLAND TRAGEDY.

A Fisherman's Wild Sail to Procrastinate Medical Aid.

"The lack of physicians is one of the horrors of the isolation in which the Newfoundlanders of this coast live," says Norman Duncan in Amulet's. "There is none within fifty miles of most harbors; none within reaching distance of many. It is related of a well-to-do fisherman who was something of a merchant that his wife, whom he fondly loved, lay in agony for many days while an autumn gale raged. No man in the harbor would put out in a sail to fetch the nearest physician, who lived fifteen miles down the coast, for there was no possibility that he who ventured could survive. On the fourth day the wind moderated. Two men volunteered to accompany Alton. They set sail in the first storm of snow, which abated, however, before they reached their destination. Fighting doggedly, they took the boat safely in, after indescribable hardship and through ever present danger. The gale had gone down when they checked on the physician's door. A heavy sea was running, but the danger of wreck on the return voyage was quickly passing.

"What's the matter with the woman?" the physician asked.

"She is informed."

"The husband minutely described his wife's agony. Then he offered what amounted almost to half his fortune as a fee."

"I'll take that," said the doctor. "If you fetch her here, go back and get her, and I'll attend to the case."

"In an open boat!" the husband exclaimed. He pointed out that his wife's condition put such an arrangement beyond the bounds of reason.

"Well, I can't do anything," said the physician. "If you bring her over, I'll attend to her."

"When the husband got back to his home, the child had been born, but the woman died the next day."

PARRY A COMPLIMENT.

Accept One Always, but Never Take It Seriously.

The famous Mme. Recamier said that she always found two women sufficed to make her guests seem welcome. Upon their arrival she exclaimed, "At last, and when they took their leave she said, 'Alas! If I taken literally, we should deprecate the flattery. Flattery is insincere praise and wrongs him that gives and him that takes. It is sometimes kinder to accept a compliment than to pry it.

One may say, 'Thank you, it is pleasant to be seen through such kind or partial eyes,' or perhaps, 'It is a comfort to know that friendship is partly blind as well as the mythological boy,' or any nonsense that serves to show that one appreciates the spirit that prompts the kind expression, however wide the truth.

The frequent repetition of the name of the person addressed holds a subtle compliment, implying more complete concentration of the speaker's thought upon his or her personality.

De Quincy says: 'More is done for the benefit of conversation by the simple magic of good manners than by all varieties of intellectual power.'

It is the sympathetic and responsive listeners that call forth the best efforts of a talker. For such are reserved his choicest stories, his finest thoughts.

A ready smile acts as inspiration, and interest shown in the conversation of other stimulates and vivifies their thoughts.

The good listener the diffident will say what they think, and the verbose will think what they say.

There is nothing more trying than to find that one's conversation is receiving but a divided attention and nothing more humiliating for a person to pick up a book or paper and look over it while pretending to listen to what one is saying.—New York Herald.

SUBSTITUTE FOR SOAP.

There are a few people to whose skins soap seems an irritant. They should use bran. The sons of one of the old kings of Holland were forbidden to use soap. They were to use bran and water. Napoleon never used soap, but kept his hands beautifully white by the use of bran.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

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Sick Headache, and relieve all the troubles incident to a bilious state of the system, such as Dizziness, Nausea, Weakness, Indigestion, and all the ailments of the bowels. It is a sure cure for all the ailments of the bowels. It is a sure cure for all the ailments of the bowels. It is a sure cure for all the ailments of the bowels.

ACHES AND PAINS.

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Will keep them absolutely moisture and will protect them from decay. It is a sure cure for all the ailments of the bowels. It is a sure cure for all the ailments of the bowels. It is a sure cure for all the ailments of the bowels.

Imperial Wagon, dead and turned to clay. Composed a tune to keep the flies away.

Two Views.

"It is hard to lose one's relations," said the old individual with a mourning band on his hat.

"Hard" echoed the man whose cheek is good for a million. "Why, sir, it's simply impossible!"—Chicago News.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

LESSON XII, FOURTH QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, DEC. 22.

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13, 14, "Fear ye not. Stand still and see the salvation of the Lord which He will shew to you today. The Lord shall fight for you, and ye shall hold your peace."

We are given the choice of a Christmas lesson from Isa. ix, 1, 7, but as the burden of that lesson is Israel's deliverance and future glory which the Child born, the Christ given, whose goings forth have been from old, from the days of eternity (Mic. v, 2, margin), we have chosen the regular lesson, which is the story of the Israelites' deliverance from the hands of the Egyptians, and the lesson in Exodus concerning a great deliverance by the same Lord, who was afterward born in Bethlehem, the Child born, the Christ given, whose goings forth have been from old, from the days of eternity (Mic. v, 2, margin), we have chosen the regular lesson, which is the story of the Israelites' deliverance from the hands of the Egyptians, and the lesson in Exodus concerning a great deliverance by the same Lord, who was afterward born in Bethlehem, the Child born, the Christ given, whose goings forth have been from old, from the days of eternity (Mic. v, 2, margin), we have chosen the regular lesson, 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The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, DEC. 27, 1901.

CHRISTMAS.

It was a dull, wet day and very quiet withal, but the Christmas spirit was abroad in the land, as anybody could see.

In writing his Inaugural the JOURNAL's advice to Mayor Feeney is, "bide it down." Just what "long felt want" an elaborate Inaugural Address is something we have never been able to find out. They are often that otherwise devoted to a review and criticism of the administration of the outgoing Mayor, which is professed. The new Mayor, may with propriety submit his ideas as to how this, that, or the other Department should be conducted, but promises are not in order in an Inaugural because conditions change, and "circumstances alter cases." A full statement of the work done during the year of service is what the public ask for and ought to have. It always seemed to us that in these State ceremonies the cart was put before the horse.

It is fair to presume that among the present official incumbents at City Hall will be retained by the next Administration will be Mr. E. Prior, member of the Board of Assessors; Mr. Albert P. Barrett, City Auditor; and Mr. John Lynch, Clerk of Committees. They understand the duties of their respective offices thoroughly and have always been faithful in the discharge of them.

The Democracy will have full swing in the next City Administration. Now let us wait and see what they will do about it.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

A. E. Spool—Readers.
J. W. Johnson—For Sale.
John Jameson—Mort. Sale.

\$1.50.

Instead of continuing to give THE HOUSEHOLD as a premium, we will furnish THE JOURNAL to all subscribers who pay in ADVANCE at \$1.50 a year; and the subscriptions of those who have paid in advance for the current and coming year, will be marked up at the rate of \$5.00 a year. —t. l. c., 31.

— 1902! —

- A Happy New Year.
- Yuletide lasts 12 days.
- "Many returns of the same."
- "New year, next Wednesday."
- "Ring out the Old; Ring in the New."
- The High School dance comes off this evening.
- Tuesday was a bad day for holiday shopping.
- The days have increased in length two minutes.
- Turn over the customary "New Year" next Wednesday.
- Moore & Parker have a great variety of 1902 diaries.
- The Lowell & Boston Co.'s new snowplow is a daisy.
- F. P. Brooks had good holiday trade as anybody in town.
- Mr. Thomas Moor's family enjoyed their Christmas Tree.
- The City Hall situation grows more interesting every day.
- Christmas has come and gone and the postoffice clerks breathe easier.
- Miss Alice Preston passed Christmas day with friends at Brockton.
- The JOURNAL extends hearty New Year greetings to everybody.
- The latter part of December furnished good stiff winter weather.
- A crowd of colored men had a big fight on lower Main st. Christmas.
- Little Miss Marion Taylor was the JOURNAL's Santa Claus last Wednesday.
- Inauguration Day next Wednesday. All hats off to His Honor, Mayor Feeney.
- Miss Amy Higgins of Worcester, spent Wednesday with Miss Stella Haynes.
- Don't miss the musical play at the Unitarian vestry Dec. 30 and Jan. 1.
- Assistant Librarian Pollard says, "we are bound to boom the Public Library."
- There were an army of happy young mortals in Woburn Wednesday morning.
- With Emergency Hospital hands by, Academy Hill ought to be reasonably happy.
- The Lowell & Boston Street Railroad run half-hour trips to Burlington and beyond.
- A good many college boys and girls are spending the holiday season here at home.
- Augy Crovo has an abundance of fruit grown expressly for New Year's feasts.
- Master Harold Fraser spent Wednesday with his aunt Mrs. Dean at North Woburn.
- Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Preston are entertaining Mr. Preston's mother and sister from N. H.
- On Dec. 30 and Jan. 1, a fine opera is to be given in the vestry of Unitarian Church.
- The Woburn Park system, or no system, deserves more money and attention than it gets.
- The Christmas window decorations in this city were fine. We have artists among us.
- Mr. Frederic A. Flint was named executor in the will of the late Mr. William E. Putnam.
- Charles Edward Sutherland, Pullman car conductor, is running between Boston and Portland.

— S. A. M., Dec. 27: 2 inches wet snow early this morning, followed by rain.

— Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Swan and their son Russell were guests of Mrs. Elsie Francis on Christmas day.

— Private practice has compelled Dr. Callahan to sever his connection with the public vaccinating force.

— The St. Charles C. T. A. Society will give a first class dance in Lycen Hall on the night of Jan. 31.

— Dead loads of our people went to Boston for their Christmas presents. All wrong, ladies and gentlemen.

— Mabel Parnell and Josephine Graham will sing duets at the Unitarian Opera on Dec. 30 and Jan. 1.

— A Christmas tree on Montvale avenue was just loaded down with beautiful presents for little Miss Dora Gilbert.

— Another little flit of snow Monday evening which turned into a heavy rain, lasting all night and well into Tuesday.

— School teachers have been scarce here this week. They have utilized the Christmas vacation by visiting friends abroad.

— Bear in mind the Ball to be given by the St. Charles C. T. A. Society in Lycen Hall on Friday Jan. 31. It will be a fine one.

— The long tail overcoats now so greatly in vogue cannot be praised for their beauty but they are mighty comfortable, the boys say.

— Mr. and Mrs. William A. Preston and family spent Christmas with Mrs. Preston's sister Mrs. H. W. Gardner at Brockton.

— Steamship tickets to or from Europe on all the lines; railroad tickets south or west; for sale by Charles R. Rosenquist, 36 Green st., Woburn-52w

— There will be fine recitations by Dorothy Blyson and Billie Clewley at the Unitarian vestry on Dec. 30, and Jan. 1, at the giving of the opera.

— On Jan. 1, 1902, Gage & Co. will inaugurate a slaughter of prices for gentlemen's overcoats, suits and furnishings goods that will astonish the natives.

— Mrs. George H. Taylor of Pleasant street, left here yesterday morning for Laconia, N. H., to stay awhile with friends. She went away in very good spirits.

— Mr. Lewis D. Penn had more Christmas presents than any other person in town. He is Agent of the American Express Company. This is old but good.

— Next Wednesday will be Inauguration Day of the new City Government. If the time honored practice is observed the exercises will take place in Lycen Hall.

— An accurate statement of the number of people who have been vaccinated in this city during the last two months would make mighty interesting reading.

— Features of the operatic entertainment to be given in the Unitarian vestry on Dec. 30 and Jan. 1, are to be a Polka, the Trio, Violin Solo by Kenneth Parker, etc.

— The cold snap last week made due skating on Horn Pond and it was improved by the boys and girls. Shiner played a prominent part in the sports. Some calls it polo.

— Rumford school scholars are proud of their new flag. So is Principal Linscott, who marched beneath the starry folds of Old Glory and kept step to the music of the Union in the Civil War.

— Remember, too, that Calnan's Orchestra will give a fine concert previous to the dancing at St. Charles ball in Lycen Hall, Friday, Jan. 31. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.

— Mr. W. G. Parkin, the recently appointed Boston & Maine Station Agent in this city has taken possession of the office and is doing business. He is a State of Maine man, and therefore all right.

— The JOURNAL received its first 1902 calendar last Monday morning, and it is a beauty. It is issued by the Berkshire Life Insurance Co. of Pittsfield, Mass., to whose courtesy we are indebted for a copy.

— The 1902 calendar of Hammond & Son has a local air about it that will make it in brisk demand. The picture showing the store occupied by Mr. J. W. Hammond at that date.

— We always look for a nice Christmas present from Mrs. Mary Jennings and never fail to get one. It came in good time this year to cheer the Editor's heart and comfort his family. Everything in the big box was nice and to the point.

— The employees of Mr. George A. Brown the builder, did a handsome thing in providing flowers for the funeral of Mr. James E. Long, for which they deserved and received credit. Mrs. Long received \$15 in money left over.

— Christmas remembrance prized by us was a card from the good friends of our family, Hon. A. Lieberknecht, U. S. Consul at Zurich, Switzerland, and his wife and daughter. The hand-drawn card was all right, but the memory card was the best.

— The L. S. C. and Alliance Branch of the Unitarian church will hold its annual meeting at four o'clock, Thursday, Jan. 2, 1902. Supper will be served at 6.30 o'clock, followed by speaking. Supper and speaking 25c. The public are invited.

— When Supt. Brackett gets his new schedule of half-hour trips between Medford and Lowell into running order, which will be early next week, and passengers can leave here for Lowell as 10 p. m., and for Boston as late as 11.30 p. m., no community in the vicinity of Boston will be so amply equipped with electric car facilities as Woburn. If it does not prove a boom for this city then our business men will have only themselves to blame for it.

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417 MAIN STREET.

— Read the notice of J. W. Johnson of the sale of the Herbert L. Richardson residence.

— The pound party will be held as usual at the Home for Aged Women, North Woburn, January 1st, 1902. Gifts are expected at all times—MARY E. CONN, Secretary.

— The "serious illness" of Miss Blanche Goodrich, the popular Warren Avenue pedagogue, was a case of vaccination. It didn't stop her daily trip to Academy Hill on her alarming errand. Your State of Maine girls don't stay hauled up for repairs very long on just a sore arm.

— The Everett Pine Tree Club did great honors to its President, Mr. J. Howard Nason, Mrs. Nason, and Miss Alice Huse Nason, Thursday evening, Dec. 19. They were given in the shape of a reception in which several Woburn people shared. The Everett papers said it was a high old time.

— Last Sunday was an ideal day for celebrating Christmas in the churches. The weather was as fine as anything could possibly be, and the children turned out in great numbers to attend the Christmas exercises. Each of our city churches executed a choice and appropriate programme.

— According to the ancient and venerated rule: "When the days begin to lengthen the cold begins to strengthen, people dwelling in this latitude may reasonably look for the kind of weather that Mr. Frank C. Nichols so highly enjoys at this season of the year, and so greatly pleases lovers of skating and coasting."

— Next in order come two fine calendars from the JOURNAL's esteemed friend Mr. B. T. H. Porter, Agent for several first-class Insurance Companies which are issued to patrons by the Cambridge Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Cambridge, and Citizens' Mutual Insurance Company of Boston. The illustrations are fine.

— "I did not care so much about the Mayor [of Woburn] as I did about the Yes and No vote. It did seem too bad when Woburn was getting on so well that she must go back to the mire."—J. Howard Nason, Tours Conductor.

— Yes, indeed, it was too bad. But she will right herself next time.

— Mr. James Long whose skull was fractured by a sawhorse falling on it from a staging at the Chemical Works last Friday afternoon, died at the Massachusetts General Hospital on Sunday. He was a journeyman carpenter in the employ of Mr. George E. Brown, the builder, and while at work suffered the blow from the falling sawhorse which resulted in his death.

— It is the opinion of practical men that Woburn ought to borrow \$100,000, hire an educated road builder, and have some highways that her people would not be ashamed of. Why don't Woburn get a move on and be somebody? Look at Winchester and see what she has done with her big highway loss of a few years ago. She is growing, while Woburn languishes.

— A real Santa Claus is a boon to any community. A spurious S. C. is no good any where, and is to be avoided. Mr. George H. Gilbert of Sunnyside, Winchester, was duly commissioned years ago as boss Santa Claus for this section of Middlesex county, and right worthily has he won the honor. Christmas after Christmas he has faithfully and generously discharged the duties of Charity's Almoner and thus won the affection of the poor. How kindly he remembered the JOURNAL's old Editor and his helpmate last Tuesday! There was a big package of good things, but those that warmed the cockles of the Editor's heart the most were the fragrant Pine Pillow from Oldtown, Maine,

and a mysterious article that gurgled when moved, and bore "The Seal" of purity on its pleasant face. We heartily thank Mr. Gilbert for his kind Christmas thought of us, and his hand-made holiday presents.

— At a recent meeting of W. R. C. No. 161, the election of officers were as follows: President, Miss Susan Tibbets; Senior Vice, Mrs. Flora M. Tibbets; Junior Vice, Mrs. Josie V. Colby; Treasurer, Mrs. Rebekah J. Brooks; Chaplain, Mrs. Susan E. Crowell; Conductor, Mrs. Julia L. Bennett; Givers, Mrs. Adeline N. Jones; 1st Delegates, Mrs. Susan A. Wood; 2nd, Mrs. Clara A. H. Poland; Alternates, Mrs. A. Jennie Hathaway, Mrs. Ada C. Kendall.

— Mr. Charles G. Lund, William Briggs, and others, wealthy and enterprising citizens, it is said, have organized to found and maintain an Emergency Hospital at the corner of Summer street and Warren avenue, and that it will soon be in operation. It is also reported that a prominent Boston physician is interested in the matter and will have charge of the Hospital. It is a humane and excellent undertaking.

— P. S. Some misapprehension as to this matter existed in the public mind and conflicting stories were told concerning it. It appears that the Emergency Hospital, which was opened for inspection yesterday, is the private and personal undertaking of Dr. Wells, who has had experience in the same line. It is on the plan of the Boston and other Emergency Hospitals, to be supported by the sale of certificates. Mr. Lund and Mr. Briggs approve of the scheme, but are not founders of the institution.

— If plans do not fail, the Management of the North Woburn Division of the Boston & Northern Street Railway will make changes in the running of their cars between now and next Monday, which must prove of material benefit to the public and a boom for Woburn. Through half-hour trips from Medford to Lowell, without change of cars, are to be made, the first to start from Medford at 9.30 a. m. and leave every 30 minutes after until 9.30 p. m. This last car will leave Woburn at 10 p. m., giving Wilmington, Tewksbury and Lowell patrons the opportunity of remaining here until that hour, and reaching home in good season. This important change should be taken advantage of by the merchants of this city to greatly increase their trade from those places. With a proper outlay of effort it can be done. The last car will leave Lowell for Medford at 10.15 p. m., and Woburn for Medford at 11.30 p. m., to reach Medford at 12, midnight, to connect with the West End cars for Boston, and return at that hour to North Woburn. At the present time the last car for the north leaves at 11.30, and it is easily seen that the addition of half an hour must be a great accommodation to the public. That 12 car north must catch a good many belated Woburn people in Boston. These are the most important changes that have been made in the running of the N. W. cars for a long time and the best for Woburn business if properly utilized. They bring the people of the town north of us right to our doors at seasonable hours of day and night, allow them to do their trading, and reach home by the 10 p. m. car at bedtime. Another great advantage that Woburn, as well as the towns above, will derive from these changes is the facility of getting to Boston at a later hour than now. The last car south bound is to leave here at 11.30 p. m., which lands passengers in Boston at 12.30. The reader will comprehend at once the importance to the public, and especially to this city, of these contemplated additional traveling facilities.

Mr. Alvah Buckman.

The death of Mr. ALVH BUCKMAN at his home, No. 65 High street, this city, on Sunday morning, Dec. 22, 1901, removed from this community one of its oldest and most highly esteemed citizens. He had been declining in health for some time, and although it was known that the end must soon come, the news of his death was a shock to his family and friends. He would have chosen the Sabbath Day for his farewell had he been permitted to select the time, and Christmas on which he laid to rest.

The parents of Alvah Buckman were Willis Buckman, member of an old and prominent Woburn family, and Delia Pierce Johnson, his wife. He was born in Woburn on Sept. 12, 1822, and had always lived here, where he had been a leading merchant for the last 45 years.

On April 14, 1845, he married Susan Bulfinch of Woburn, who survives to mourn the death of a kind and affectionate husband. Two children, Francis P. Buckman, and Susan E., wife of Mr. E. G. Clough, are also left to deeply regret the loss of a loving father.

In 1840 Mr. Buckman united with the First Congregational church of Woburn and had been one of its main pillars for 61 years. He was one of its Deacons, member of the Church and Parish Committees, one of the choir for twenty years and taught a class in the Sunday School all through his active life. He was a true Christian gentleman. He never sought official honors, being modest and unassuming, but was content that others should enjoy them, and always declined them when proffered.

He was kind hearted, charitable, and never spoke evil of his fellowmen. Although advanced in years, and living in partial retirement from general society, the loss of Mr. Buckman will be widely felt in this city.

The funeral was held at the late residence of the deceased at 2.30 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 25.—Christina Dwyer, Daniel March, D. D., conducted the religious services, and appropriate pieces were sung by the Alpine Quartette. The services were solemn and impressive.

A great many people, friends and acquaintances of Mr. Buckman, attended the funeral. The floral tributes to the memory of a good man and an honored citizen were numerous and beautiful, consisting of several exquisitely arranged cut pieces, emblems of sorrow, hope, peace, etc., bouquets, and bunches of flowers.

The interment was in Woodbrook cemetery.

Saw Death Near.

"It often made my heart ache," writes L. C. Overstreet, of Elgin, Tenn., "to hear my wife cough until it seemed her weak and failing lungs would give out. I had said she was so far gone with Consumption that no medicine or earthly help could save her, but a friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery, and I bought a bottle. It absolutely guaranteed for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma, and all Throat and Lung diseases. 50c and \$1.00 at Huntley & Co.'s drug store. Trial bottles free.

CITY COUNCIL.

A regular meeting of the Board was held on Thursday evening, Dec. 19, with President Blodgett in the chair.

The order increasing the salaries of members of fire department was brought forward. Chief Littlefield was present and explained the need of the increase, also pointed out the weak points in the workings of the department owing to the inadequacy of the material to work with. The men were seriously handicapped, more so than the members of departments of surrounding towns. The men were efficient in service and faithful on duty, and the salary of \$100 for hosemen \$120 for hook and ladder men was petitioned for.

His remarks were seconded by the Assistant who explained the growing need for such a move on the part of the city government as the pay as it now stands seemed to show but a slight incentive to the members as every man in the department wanted the advance; this was passed to second reading and final action Thursday evening Dec. 26.

An order for the proper grading of North Warren Street was read. Alderman Ward claimed the road had been repaired but the surface water was still a trouble to the residents of the neighborhood. A committee of three was ordered to view the road and report later.

Coughs and Colds in Children.

RECOMMENDATION OF A WELL KNOWN CHICAGO PHYSICIAN.

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An Era of Consolidation.

"Get together" seems to be the word of command, nowadays, in the mercantile world.

Consolidation is the fact of the hour in respect to many great business operations, as is well illustrated by the recent uniting of some of Boston's heaviest banks.

Now we hear, from the same city, a rumor that practically all the carpet business of Boston is shortly to be united in the hands of a single corporation. Details are not at hand as this is written, but the statement is apparently well founded.

A Woman's Awful Peril.

"There is only one chance to save your life and that is through an operation" were the startling words heard by Mrs. L. B. Hunt of Lime Ridge, Wis., from her doctor after he had vainly tried to cure her of a frightful case of stomach trouble and yellow jaundice, which she had contracted and constantly grew worse. Then she began to use Electric Bitters which wholly cured her. It was a wonderful Stomach, Liver and Kidney remedy. Cures Dyspepsia, Loss of Appetite, indigestion, etc. Price, 25 cents. Samples free, at Huntley & Co.'s drug store.

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The issue by the Boston Sunday Journal, last Sunday of a handsome round magazine of twenty pages, the cover to which was a model of color printing, is after the line which has been pursued by the Boston Journal to provide for its readers, both daily and Sunday, the newest and most attractive material procurable in the newspaper world.

The Sunday Journal now has, besides a complete newspaper, two most pleasing features, for, beside the magazine, there is also distributed each Sunday to every buyer a most artistic and attractive color reproduction of a famous modern painting. This series, which has been running for some months, has included the work of some of the world's best painters, and the reproductions, which are on canvas paper, are absolutely truthful in color, tone and effect. The Sunday Journal, with all its features, provides a whole day's entertainment and instruction.

"If I had an enemy upon whom I wished to be revenged," said Mr. Frank A. Locke, "I would send him neither a poison package nor an infernal machine. I'd make him a New Year's gift of a Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets—the torture would be more lingering."

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J. LEATHE,

425 Main is the Street.

Woman's Club.

The Woburn Woman's Club held a Club talent meeting on Friday, Dec. 20, of unusual attractiveness and merit. It was entitled, "Fête of the Veterans," and was in charge of the Committee on Literature, Mrs. Isabelle Livingston Blake, Chairman.

Mrs. Blake in her introductory remarks said the part: "At this time of year when everyone is busy preparing for the celebration of Christmas, profound literature is not a little, but in planning a programme we were helped by the knowledge of this thought of fashion. To be purely literary, one must be strictly up-to-date."

Mr. Parkin is a native of Calais, Me., but has resided in Lowell since 1878. He has served on the Lowell Council two terms and only two years ago was elected candidate for Clerk of the Common Council. He is a popular member of the Highland Club and is well known locally.

The presentation speech was made by Mr. A. W. Early, of the freight department on Western avenue, and the presentation by Mr. John Thorne, Mr. Early then recounted some of the reasons why Mr. Parkin is so popular with his associates. Mr. Parkin was taken completely by surprise and said he did not expect such recognition and such a friendly feeling on the part of his associates. He would carry with him, however, the most friendly sentiment for his former colleagues in the Lowell division. The presentation was made by Mr. A. W. Early, of the freight department on Western avenue, and the presentation by Mr. John Thorne, Mr. Early then recounted some of the reasons why Mr. Parkin is so popular with his associates. Mr. Parkin was taken completely by surprise and said he did not expect such recognition and such a friendly feeling on the part of his associates. He would carry with him, however, the most friendly sentiment for his former colleagues in the Lowell division. The presentation was made by Mr. A. W. Early, of the freight department on Western avenue, and the presentation by Mr. John Thorne, Mr. Early then recounted some of the reasons why Mr. Parkin is so popular with his associates. Mr. Parkin was taken completely by surprise and said he did not expect such recognition and such a friendly feeling on the part of his associates. He would carry with him, however, the most friendly sentiment for his former colleagues in the Lowell division. The presentation was made by Mr. A. W. Early, of the freight department on Western avenue, and the presentation by Mr. John Thorne, Mr. Early then recounted some of the reasons why Mr. Parkin is so popular with his associates. Mr. Parkin was taken completely by surprise and said he did not expect such recognition and such a friendly feeling on the part of his associates. He would carry with him, however, the most friendly sentiment for his former colleagues in the Lowell division. The presentation was made by Mr. A. W. Early, of the freight department on Western avenue, and the presentation by Mr. John Thorne, Mr. Early then recounted some of the reasons why Mr. Parkin is so popular with his associates. Mr. Parkin was taken completely by surprise and said he did not expect such recognition and such a friendly feeling on the part of his associates. He would carry with him, however, the most friendly sentiment for his former colleagues in the Lowell division. The presentation was made by Mr. A. W. Early, of the freight department on Western avenue, and the presentation by Mr. John Thorne, Mr. Early then recounted some of the reasons why Mr. Parkin is so popular with his associates. Mr. Parkin was taken completely by surprise and said he did not expect such recognition and such a friendly feeling on the part of his associates. He would carry with him, however, the most friendly sentiment for his former colleagues in the Lowell division. The presentation was made by Mr. A. W. Early, of the freight department on Western avenue, and the presentation by Mr. John Thorne, Mr. Early then recounted some of the reasons why Mr. Parkin is so popular with his associates. Mr. Parkin was taken completely by surprise and said he did not expect such recognition and such a friendly feeling on the part of his associates. He would carry with him, however, the most friendly sentiment for his former colleagues in the Lowell division. The presentation was made by Mr. A. W. Early, of the freight department on Western avenue, and the presentation by Mr. John Thorne, Mr. Early then recounted some of the reasons why Mr. Parkin is so popular with his associates. Mr. Parkin was taken completely by surprise and said he did not expect such recognition and such a friendly feeling on the part of his associates. He would carry with him, however, the most friendly sentiment for his former colleagues in the Lowell division. The presentation was made by Mr. A. W. Early, of the freight department on Western avenue, and the presentation by Mr. John Thorne, Mr. Early then recounted some of the reasons why Mr. Parkin is so popular with his associates. Mr. Parkin was taken completely by surprise and said he did not expect such recognition and such a friendly feeling on the part of his associates. He would carry with him, however, the most friendly sentiment for his former colleagues in the Lowell division. The presentation was made by Mr. A. W. Early, of the freight department on Western avenue, and the presentation by Mr. John Thorne, Mr. Early then recounted some of the reasons why Mr. Parkin is so popular with his associates. Mr. Parkin was taken completely by surprise and said he did not expect such recognition and such a friendly feeling on the part of his associates. He would carry with him, however, the most friendly sentiment

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It was to men on Bethlehem's plain, where first was heard this glad refrain.
Good laws, good tidings to the world we bring.
For in Bethlehem came the world's heavenly King.
This story to all people told.
More precious than silver or gold;
That Christ had come to this world below.
To teach men better than to show.
These angels of this heavenly host.
Sung this glad song to the world below.
These angels were dressed in garments of shining white.
To the shepherds it was a beautiful sight.
Wise men from the East to Jerusalem came.
To seek this child, that was the world's redeemer.
They followed the star, that shined in the sky.
To find the child, that was the world's redeemer.
He told them to find this child and bring him word.
That he could worship this same Lord.
Of costly gifts we are told.
These wise men brought frankincense and gold.
They followed the star, that shined in the sky.
And found the child lying in a manger.
For his parents on the night before.
Had sought for lodgings the town over and over.
From all they were turned away.
And could find no place in which to stay.
At last into this place they came.
And here was born the Christ by name.
The wise men were warned by God, we are glad to say.
Returned to their own homes some other way.
—B. A. Tripp.

Boston Theatres.

The performances of this Christmas week are the last of Mr. Edward E. Kilduff's fascinating rural drama "Sky Farm" at the Theatre. "Sky Farm" has been presented for fully three months to a succession of great and delighted audiences. The play must make such a record as this in any Boston theatre and such a triumph for the great playwright, Mr. Kilduff, and the Boston Museum, have added their friends to pass a similar experience and the consequence has been a steady stream of ticket purchasers at the box office since the first production of this play. The demand still continues, probably will up to the closing performance of Saturday night, the 24th instant when "Sky Farm" must be taken from the stage which now almost seems its home. Undoubtedly "Sky Farm" could be played in Boston for the rest of the season but in the beginning, the most sanguine hardly expected such phenomenal success, so other arrangements were made for succeeding plays and those bookings positively cannot be altered. "The Red Kidnapper," the famous story by Paul Potter introducing Louis Mann and Clara Lipsman, is set for Monday, evening, December 30, and "Sky Farm" must give place to it. This means that the New Englanders who want to see one of the most interesting, sweetest, cleanest plays ever put upon the stage—as the management with truth claims, "a full of sunshine, fun and love"—must pay a visit to the Boston Museum at once and the sooner the better for seats for the final performance are going like the proverbial hot cakes as soon as the good word comes from the box office. Saturday afternoon, will be the only matinee performance of the Christmas play. Everybody should see the sun-kissed valley below the farm, the maple maze, the village church, the village postoffice, with its delicious comedy and the barn dance, one of the merriest and most effective of the play. The village to ring down the final curtain. No one has yet come away from "Sky Farm" without being the wiser and the happier for the visit.

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Cummingsville.

Mr. John Cummings had a good Christmas trade.

What has become of that incendiary fire investigation.

There is talk of building a Congregational Mission church over here. It is a longfellow want.

WINCHESTER.

The stablemen are praying for snow. We are expecting more boulevards and things next summer.

The patriots are already studying on Articles for the next Town Meeting Warrent.

Christmas Day was passed in a quiet and orderly manner in this town with no features worthy of mention.

It is expected that Judge Littlefield, tourist, will resume his electric car trips about the town the song of the first robin is heard here.

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Burlington.

Church Service Sunday, 10.30 a. m. Dr. March will preach. Miss Annie Moore of Boston, prevented by the storm from coming Dec. 8, will speak in the evening at 7 o'clock.

HIS WIFE'S CAPRICES.

They Have Cost This Man More Than \$250,000, He Says.

"I have made over \$250,000 in my practice in the last twelve years," said the serious looking man in the car, "and today I am not worth \$1000. I have a very pretty house, but I don't like it. It doesn't look as if it had cost a quarter of a million dollars, though it has almost. Remember, I don't blame my wife entirely. She couldn't have taken the money if I had not been willing to give it to her, but I didn't marry her to make her unhappy, and so I must have her idiosyncrasies, and her idiosyncrasies consist chiefly in tearing our modest domicile to pieces and putting it together again.

"She has had four bathrooms put in it in three years, for instance, each one more elegant than the last. The latest one is tiled and really very beautiful. The fact that we didn't need it has nothing to do with the case, I suppose.

"Then we've had in the same time at least twenty-five closets, pantries and storerooms built in the apartments and taken out again, as my wife's whim suggested. Our conservatory, a very unpretentious one, has been remodelled four times. Once it had stained glass in it, and then, when the flowers didn't flourish in the yellow and green lights, this was removed and clear glass substituted. The flowers have a way of dying in the winter when we need them, and so our doctor's bill for the following fall is of quite respectable size.

"My wife is a semi-invalid, and almost the only pleasure she has when the weather is too bad for her to get out is thinking of ways to improve the house. The other day she had the sleeping room will illustrate some of the variations that a simple object like a window can undergo. First, these were of the common two sash sort, then they were made into casements, opening down the middle, because that sort could be dressed better; later they became French windows, and now they are of the bow order.

"Only the other day I heard my better half lamenting because she could think of no other kind to try the effect of.

"If you don't believe that a woman, an ingenious woman with a brain, can spend all your money improving an ordinary house, just give your wife carte blanche and see what she can spend in a year. Why, the paper hanger, humble a soul as he is, has found me a gold mine. The thing that worries me now is how long can I keep the \$1000 I am worth at present."

The serious man ceased and sighed. His face bore a hopeless look. The editor gives her remarks here absolutely without comment, though she feels something might be said on the woman's side.—Baltimore News.

Enfelt Troubles.

A gentleman given to habits of extravagance found himself in the bankruptcy court and was severely questioned by the presiding official.

"At what precise date did you first find yourself in trouble?" asked the judge.

"I beg your pardon. I do not understand," replied the gentleman, with a puzzled air.

"The question is a very simple one," (sharply.) "Please answer it. At what precise time did your troubles begin?"

With an air of the utmost perplexity the gentleman gazed around the court until his wandering eyes fell upon the anxious countenances of his creditors; then, with a gentle wave of his hand in their direction, he said pleasantly:

"Oh, you must mean these gentlemen's troubles. I can't say I've had any myself."

And, on thinking the matter over, the judge agreed with the bankrupt's answer.—London Telegraph.

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LITTLE LEAKS.

What They May Lead to and How They May Be Stopped.
It is possible to lose much by little. A classic case is that of the royal granary which was depleted of its stores by a succession of "one rat came and took one grain away, and another rat came and took another grain away." So fortune is dissipated, and reputations are destroyed, and health is ruined and character itself lost—by little extravagances, little indiscretions, little negligences, little omissions.

Benjamin Franklin was a great economist not alone of money, but of time. He said, "To teach a young man to shave himself is as good as to give him a purse of gold." He had reference to the minutes as well as the dimes it costs to patronize the barber.

Elhu Burritt stopped the leak in his time and taught himself a dozen languages. Gladstone was equally wise, for he read Plato in his carriage between Carlton terrace and the parliament buildings.

A prosperous man ascribed his success in business to his habit of permitting no particle of material to be unproductive. He experimented and elaborated until he found a method of disposing profitably of every atom left over.

There is a man in New York who has in bank a goodly sum of money which he calls his "tit but fund." When tempted to needless expenditure by the specious plea, "This but a nickel or a quarter of a dollar," he declines himself and drops the amount he would have spent into a portable bank, which is filled with amazing rapidity. That is one way to stop a leak.

More serious than any prudential method is the little leak in life, by which vital energy is squandered and moral force is diminished, imperceptibly it may be, through what we sometimes regard as inconsequential acts. Lack of order in our methods of labor, thoughtlessness in the exercise of hygiene and the "major morals" of honesty and truth, the practical repudiation of personal responsibility, the neglect of duties which arise from our ethical and religious nature—these are the leaks which will exhaust or be bankrupt in the world's work and in God's.—Saturday Evening Post.

A LESSON IN CHESS.

Why William's Papa Ended It Almost Before It Was Begun.

Paterfamilias, with a laudable desire to keep Will at home at night, offered to teach him to play chess. The boy was delighted, and the game began.

"Put the little ones, pawns, all along the front and the big ones behind, as I show you."

"I think that is cowardly. The big ones ought to be in front. Ma says—"

"Oh, but that is the rule. Now, see—no; put that rook in the corner."

"What's that?"

"It is a kind of bird."

"Well, that ain't a bird. It looks like a castle."

"Call it a castle, then—and put the knight next—"

"Why, that's called a knight? It looks like a horse's head."

"And then the bishop," went on paterfamilias, ignoring the question; "so, and then—"

"Why is the bishop's head split in two, pop?"

"That is his hat—a cardinal's hat."

"But I thought he was a bishop?"

"A cardinal is also a bishop. Now don't talk so much, Willie. Then you put the king and queen—"

TRICKS OF THE TRADE.

Cups, Brushes and Sponges That Are Used in Barbers' Shops.

"What becomes of all the old shaving mugs?" was the question asked the barber.

"What becomes of the owners?" was the response.

Neither side seemed disposed to answer the query, and there was an awkward silence. The barber slapped his razor on the strip, smeared some extra lather on the victim's mouth so he wouldn't be inclined to interrupt and said in a stage whisper:

"Now I'll tell you, I don't want it shunted from the house-tops. We use the mugs again."

He paused and sighed as he tossed the questioner's head the other way.

"Yes," he continued, "we use them again. We don't like to lose our cups, but if we must lose them, why, we don't mind if they leave their cups, etc., behind. It's surprising how many do, but, then, barbers do mostly a 'shifting trade.' It's no secret that we urge customers to have their own cup. Most of them are satisfied if they have a private cup, brush and sponge. We supply them with the man's name on the cup for \$1.50, and our profit on the transaction is 50 cents. When a man has a razor and comb and brush and sponge, he is generally taken for the whole lot away when he's leaving, but countless cups, brushes and sponges are left behind in every barber shop."

The cups are always good. Many of them contain such comely names as John Smith, William Jones, etc., and when some other John Smith or William Jones orders a cup we simply supply him with the cast off one. Sometimes they need a little touching up with gold paint, but, on the whole, it's very profitable.

"The brushes and sponges? Oh, we use them on the transients."—New York Telegram.

POULTRY POINTERS.

Ducks and geese need no grain when they have plenty of grass.

Chicken faster on cooked food than on raw food because it is more easily digested.

When soft feed is given to either young or old fowls, the food that is fed to fowls should be scattered among litter of some kind, so that they can scratch it out.

There is nothing so bad for the health and well-being of poultry as confining them in close quarters and preventing them from taking needed exercise.

One of the most important items to insure success in the hatching of chickens in winter is to get the eggs from a flock of healthy and vigorous fowls.

The Roman Baths.

To the Romans the public baths were a necessity of daily life, and the baths of Pompeii stood in the way behind those of greater cities in the tumultuous variety of the scenes enacted there. A quotation from Seneca gives a vivid illustration of what went on in such places.

"I am living near a bath," writes the philosopher, "sounds are heard on all sides. Just imagine for yourself every conceivable kind of noise that can offend the ear. The men of more sturdy muscle go through their exercises and swing their hands, heavily weighted

with lead. I hear their groans when they restrain themselves or the whistling of labored breath.

"If one is rather lazy, he has himself rubbed with ointment, and I hear the blows of the hands slapping his shoulders, the sound varying as the massager strikes with flat or hollow palm. Meanwhile there is a sudden brawl, as a thief is caught, or there is some one in the bath who loves to hear the sound of his own voice, and the bathers plunge into the swimming bath without splash.

"Over all the din you hear the cry of those who are selling cakes, sausages and sweetmeats."

Dierrell and Gladstone. Gladstone used to tell how Dierrell visited at his house. When the Bulgarian atrocities debate was at its fiercest, Dierrell one night hung across the table of the house of commons a note to Mr. Gladstone saying that the set of Turkish yellow books after foreign office were defective, but that he believed Mr. Gladstone had a perfect set and might his secretary call on the morrow to make some extracts. Mr. Gladstone's reply was, "Certainly not, but if you will come in person I shall be delighted to see you."

Accordingly the next morning Mr. Dierrell called, and, on going into the library, the talk was suddenly diverted to Bulwer Lytton and thence to political novels and especially to Dierrell's own writings.

Said Mr. Gladstone: "I was entranced at his brilliant talk. The time passed with wonderful rapidity. Dierrell looked at his watch. More than an hour had gone, and he was due elsewhere. So he had to part without a word about the yellow books and, after all, his secretary had to come and get ammunition from my stores for his master to use against me."

Cleaning Diamonds. Diamonds, in spite of their hardness, must be treated with great care. Differences of color and texture, they nevertheless clean and when roughly used are easily loosened in their setting and fall out at the most unexpected moment. When they are sent to be cleaned, the expert first tests the joint which binds the stone or pin repeatedly into a little can de-cologne.

A powerful magnifying glass is used to detect any "foreign bodies" in the setting, and an ornament that has an accumulation of dust, grime or soap on its under side, a blemish that is often noticeable in rings, is dipped alternately in soapuds and can de-cologne, and a very fine soft camel's hair brush pointed like a pencil is employed to reach delicately between the claws of the setting. When the jewel is thoroughly clean, it is buried in a jar of fine sawdust to dry. This is all done after the gold or silver mounting has been carefully rubbed with jewellers' rouge, dried and polished with a tiny chamois covered pad.

Baring the Feet at Worship. In India Hindus and Mussulmans alike wear both sandals and shoes (slippers) and the latter boots also, but the invariable rule is to remove them to enter either a holy shrine, or when stepping on to the mat or carpet on which the visitor takes his seat. They must be cast off, the right boot or shoe first, before the worshiper enters a temple or mosque, and it is still regarded as an absolute profanation to attempt to enter either fully shod, but the domestic habit arose out of its obvious propriety, and the religious ritual of "the shoes of the faithful," now and for centuries past observed throughout Islam, can be demonstrated to have entered into the East.

The fire of the 5th inst., practically ruined the old site of the block, and in several weeks it will be possible to re-occupy the former location. I desire to thank my many customers for their patience with us during the past few days of confusion and to assure them that within a very few days things will be running in their usual smooth order.

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Dick—Oh, I landed a hundred and thirty pounder there.
Tom—What a fish?
Dick—No, a girl.—Chicago News.

His Humble Part.
The Don—And what part did you take in this disgraceful proceeding of holding Mr. Walters under the by-draw?
Undergrad (modestly)—His left leg, sir.—London Answers.

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WILLIS J. BUCKMAN
Desires to announce to his customers and the public that he has taken the newly completed store Nos. 1 and 3 Walnut Street, where he has an entirely new stock of the groceries.
The fire of the 5th inst., practically ruined the old site of the block, and in several weeks it will be possible to re-occupy the former location. I desire to thank my many customers for their patience with us during the past few days of confusion and to assure them that within a very few days things will be running in their usual smooth order.
Drop in when you are in the centre and see what a convenient temporary store we have.
Very Respectfully,
WILLIS J. BUCKMAN.

Central Grocery,
Nos. 1 and 3 Walnut St., WOBURN
Telephone 21-5.

AN OPERETTA.
A Merry Company.

To be given in the
Vesry of Unitarian Church,
Monday, Dec. 30, 8 P. M.
Wednesday, Jan. 1, 4 P. M.

With the following cast of characters:
Florence, Dora Page
Helen, Helen
Captain, Captain
Bessie, Bessie
Gertie, Gertie
Drummer, Charles Lawrence
Policemen, (David Waters)
(Roger Eaton)
(Reg. Eaton)

Clones of cadets and girls.
Admission to each performance:
Twenty-five Cents for Adults.
Ten Cents for Children.
Doors open at 7.30 Dec. 30, and 3.30 Jan. 1.

First National Bank
OF WOBURN.

The Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of the First National Bank of Woburn, Mass., for the election of Directors, and the transaction of such other business as may legally come before it, will be held at the Banking Rooms on TUESDAY, January 14, 1902, at 4.45 o'clock P. M.

Woburn, Dec. 13, 1901.
C. A. DAY, Cashier.

Real Estate.
TO LET.—No. 1 Hart Place. In fine condition. Inquire of E. F. MAHON, 4 Lowell Street.

TO LET.
HOUSE and STABLE—Large house and stable, convenient to Centre, 18 Winn street. Apply to GILMAN F. JONES, Woburn.

FOR SALE.
1 Horse Sled and Sleigh. H. H. NICHOLS, Burlington.

A Good Catch.
Tom—When I went fishing down at the beach this summer, I landed a twenty pounder.
Dick—Oh, I landed a hundred and thirty pounder there.
Tom—What a fish?
Dick—No, a girl.—Chicago News.

His Humble Part.
The Don—And what part did you take in this disgraceful proceeding of holding Mr. Walters under the by-draw?
Undergrad (modestly)—His left leg, sir.—London Answers.

Mortgagee's Sale
—OF—
REAL ESTATE.
By virtue of a power of sale, contained in a certain mortgage deed, given by Forest Hooper of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, to the First National Bank of Woburn, dated April 28, 1902, and recorded with Middlesex South District Registry, Book 2112, Page 277, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage deed, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold on the premises, in said Woburn, at three o'clock in the afternoon, on the 30th day of January, 1902, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any one have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted, and unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid, your petition will be considered, and your petition, if taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree rendered thereon.

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